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WASHINGTON CITY.

Government Finances.

NEW YORK, April 19.—The *Tribune's* Washington special says: The Secretary of the Treasury is reported to have said to-day that in view of the present condition of affairs if Congress does not interfere with him by new legislation on the currency question, he will be able to resume specie payments and fund the balance of the government six per cent. bonds in four per cents by January, 1879. The Secretary is aware that should war be declared some of our bonds now held abroad will be returned in payment for exports. In speaking on this subject, he is reported to have used this language: "So much the better for us if we get them in large quantities in that way; it will be a better piece of good fortune than I expect."

The Speakership.

NEW YORK, April 19.—The *Tribune's* Washington special says: Senator Dorsey, who has just returned from a trip through a considerable portion of the South, says he does not believe any Southern Democratic Congressman will vote for a Republican for speaker. Some Conservatives, such as Ganz and Slemons of Arkansas, and Casey and Young of Tennessee who are very liberal in their ideas have published cards to conciliate their constituents, in which they say they do not intend to vote for a Republican speaker. Dorsey consequently is of the opinion the scheme for organizing the House in the interest of the administration will fail.

Schuyler All Right.

The *Times'* Washington special says Evarts says no complaint whatever has been received from the Turkish Government with reference to Schuyler. Schuyler has the confidence of our Government and as far as known that of Turkey.

To be Retained.

WASHINGTON, April 19.—The administration has decided, after full investigation, to retain Minister Russell at present as our minister to Venezuela, and in meantime has opened correspondence with the latter authorities looking to fuller explanation of the reasons which caused them to give him his passports.

Beef Shipments.

WASHINGTON, April 19.—Fresh beef shipped to Europe during 18 months ending March last was 34,278,810 pounds, valued at $326,-83. The statement shows a gradual increase from 36,000 pounds in October, 1875, to 6,707,853 in March of the present year.

Banquet at the White House.

WASHINGTON, April 19.—There will be 38 guests at the banquet to-night at the executive mansion in honor of Grand Duke Alexis and Constantine. The number will include the Russian legation, diplomatic corps, members of the President's cabinet, Admiral Porter and Justices of Supreme Court.

Piteous Appeals from Dismissed Treasury Employees.

The Treasury Department is besieged by persons dismissed from the engraving and printing bureau yesterday, who make pitiful appeals for reinstatement. In less than two weeks two thirds as many more employees will be forced to seek other employment. One lady was presented to Governor McCormick from President Hayes, saying he knew the applicant, and was perfectly cognizant it was a very sad case, but at the same time saying he was not suggesting any deviation whatever from the rules adopted for the good of the public service, but only hoped that the applicant might be considered in future if consistent with the government's interest. Another lady approached the Assistant Secretary, saying: "Here is a letter signed by two gentlemen that I think ought to be effective in having me reinstated, if anything could." The endorsements upon it were Senators Thurman and Sherman. Governor McCormick said he did not see how it was possible to make it effective on this reason.

Counterfeit Coin.

WASHINGTON, April 19.—Reports to the Treasury department show that the amount of counterfeiting, of coin principally, is increasing rapidly. Reports from the Black Hills mention the coinage of counterfeit $5 pieces and some arrests.

Secretary Sherman's Feelings.

WASHINGTON, April 19.—Secretary Sherman says he never suffered more pain in his life than he did in the recent removal of employes, so many of whom were helpless, poor and needy. His predecessor had testified and told him that the force must be reduced, and when he entered office he appointed three of the most trusted officers of the Department to make examination and to select those who were either not needed or were least efficient in the service. This was done. He held the list for weeks, and handed it over to Gov. McCormick when he became assistant secretary, by whom it was carefully examined, and held until delay was inexcusable. The Secretary has refused in every case to restore any one on the list, although some of them had been appointed on his recommendation.

Federal Appointments.

WASHINGTON, April 19.—P. W. Morris, of Michigan, was to-day appointed by Secretary Schurz superintendent of the Yellowstone National Park.

The President has appointed William Penn Prescott, of Nevada, assayer of the mint at Carson, Nevada.

Grand Dinner.

WASHINGTON, April 19.—A magnificent state dinner was given at the Executive Mansion this evening in honor of Grand Duke Alexis and Constantine. There were also present the Russian minister and his wife, Sir Edward and Lady Thornton, representing diplomatic corps, Admiral Boutakoff, of the Russian navy, Admiral Porter and General Sherman, Chief Justice Waite and daughter, Secretary of State and Mrs. Evarts, Secretary of the Treasury and Mrs. Sherman, Secretary Schurz and daughter, Secretary of War and Mrs. McCrary, Postmaster-General and Mrs. Key, Secretary of the Navy and Attorney-General, together with the President and Mrs. Hayes.

The Russian Dukes.

WASHINGTON, April 19.—Grand Duke Constantine, accompanied by Baron Shillery and Admiral Boutakoff, visited the Interior Department to-day for the purpose of inspecting American inventions in the model room of the Patent Office. Secretary Schurz and Gen. Spear, commissioner of patents, being informed of their desire, met the Duke and party in the model room and conducted them through it.

LOUISIANA.

The Plan Fails.

NEW ORLEANS, April 18.—The commission received the resolutions of the Packard caucus declining the proposals of the Nicholls House for reorganizing the legislature. They will report to the President to-day the failure so far of an adjustment, and will make further efforts to effect a settlement. Though the present plan would seem to have failed, it may be fairly stated that the commission and prominent leaders on both sides still entertain a hope that terms alike honorable to all parties may yet be agreed upon.

How to Fill Nicholls' Legislature.

NEW YORK, April 19.—The *Herald's* Washington special says a private dispatch from New Orleans says many members of the Packard House are withheld from joining the Nicholls legislature by force of Republican combinations which are seeking to compel concessions of Federal patronage on the election of United States Senators. Twenty Packardites would join the Nicholls House to-morrow if the President should say to the commission that the sentiment of the country is clearly against the further use of troops in upholding State governments, and they will not be used.

Around a Circle.

The *Tribune's* New Orleans special says: Apparently affairs are at a dead-lock. The commissioners run around the circle to the place of starting. Members of the commission predict there will only be one legislature in existence in forty-eight hours from to-night. Gov. Nicholls, Grande, and other conservative leaders, in caucus this evening, appear determined not to yield any further. They will consent to nothing which will endanger their supremacy in both houses of the legislature.

Still Deserting Packard.

NEW ORLEANS, April 19.—The Nicholls house rescinded a resolution expelling Grande, who then took his seat. George Drury, of Assumption, and Oscar Holt, of West Baton Rouge, heretofore acting with the Packard legislature, were seated in the Nicholls house to-day, making 59 returning board members.

A Returning Board Quorum.

NEW ORLEANS, April 19.—R. J. Watson, of Madison, R. I. Walker, of Tensas, and F. Olliver, of Concordia, returning board members, were seated in the Nicholls House. This completed the returning board quorum in both Houses.

Packard Legislature Dissolving.

NEW ORLEANS, April 19.—The Packard legislature is rapidly dissolving. There are now 65 or 66 returning board members in the Nicholls house.

The Nicholls Plan Reported to the President.

NEW ORLEANS, April 19.—The commissioners report to the President by telegraph to-day including the following letter from Governor Nicholls, referring to the joint resolutions heretofore telegraphed:

EXECUTIVE DEPT., STATE OF LOUISIANA,
NEW ORLEANS, April 19, 1877.

To the Hon. Chas. B. Lawrence, Jos. R. Hawley John M. Harlan, John C. Brown, Wayne McVeigh—*Gentlemen:* I have the honor to transmit herewith a copy of the joint resolutions adopted by the General Assembly of Louisiana. In so doing, I desire to say that they express not merely abstract ideas but the convictions of our people, which will be practically executed by them through their representatives, their courts and their executive governments. As chief magistrate of the State, it will be not only my pleasure but my bounden duty to give every assistance in my power leading to that end. I am satisfied any course of political action narrower than for the good of the whole people, must inevitably lead to disaster. Every day's experience fortifies me in the belief that a policy founded on these principles must result in the attainment of the ends for which all just governments are established. I have earnestly sought to obliterate the color line in politics and consolidate the people on a basis of official right and common interests, and it is a source of gratification to be able to say that this great object is about to be realized. I feel that I do but speak the sentiments of the people when I declare that their government will secure: first, good and efficient enforcement of the laws, and property will be equally protected, and should occasion require it, I will proceed in person where any disorders may menace the public peace or political rights of any citizen; second, the establishment of a system of public education, to be supported by uniform taxation, so that all, without regard to race or color, may receive official advantages thereunder; third, fostering immigration, in order to hasten the development of the natural resources of the State. Having thus committed our government and people to these great principles, I desire to add my most emphatic assurance that the withdrawal of troops to their barracks, instead of causing any disturbance of the peace or any tendency to riot, will be a source of profound gratification to our people, and will be accepted by them as proof of the confidence of the President in their capacity for self government. The people of Louisiana cannot fail to appreciate that their good fortune is largely due to the magnanimous policy so wisely inaugurated and so constantly maintained by the President of the United States.

I have the honor to be your obd't serv't,
(Signed) FRANCIS T. NICHOLLS.

The Commission's Labors Nearly Ended.

NEW ORLEANS, April 19.—The commissioners believe that the end of their labors is near. They strenuously endeavored to secure one legislature by general consent. A reunion would be nominal and nearly valueless, unless accompanied by a good degree of real reconciliation and harmonious purpose. They believe the national government has desired to accept what Louisiana should present, rather than dictate what Louisiana should do. They have striven not so much for detailed plans of any description, as to soothe passionate feeling and create a desire for peace and union. They all speak with respect of the personal bearing of both Packard and Nicholls. The letter of Nicholls appears to please them greatly, and they speak of him as an honorable soldier, whose sincerity and high courage cannot be doubted. Unquestionably he will do his utmost to carry out the policy to which he so frankly commits himself. He is sustained by the best moral and intellectual elements of his party. A large number of Republicans have from the beginning accepted his governorship as inevitable, and said that it would not only bring present peace, but make a great step forward in the protection of the people, and surely lead to a reorganization of the parties, under which all sides would, as a matter both of policy and duty, protect the personal and political rights of all voters. The commissioners are in good spirits over the present aspect of affairs.

A Settlement Probable.

WASHINGTON, April 19.—Telegrams were received by the President from the Louisiana commission yesterday afternoon, last night and to-day. It is not considered expedient at present to furnish the contents for publication, but assurance is given that their tenor warrants the assertion that the prospect of settlement of affairs continues to improve, and indications are that the labors of the commission will have a satisfactory termination.

THE EASTERN QUESTION.

News from Paris.

PARIS, April 19.—Military attaches of the Russian embassy and all Russians belonging to the imperial army have received orders to join their respective corps immediately. A majority of Republican deputies have resolved immediately after reassembling of the Chamber to question the minister of foreign affairs relative to the President's policy for France to follow in the present crisis. The object is to afford the government an opportunity of declaring formally the firm determination of France to observe most vigorous neutrality on Eastern affairs. Raphael states the government is desirous of making such declaration, and will at the same time assure the Chamber of good relations existing between France and Italy.

Prince Charles will start for Kalafat early next week. The Prince is not expected to go to Kescheneff to pay the complimentary visit to the Czar usually made when the Czar is near the Roumanian frontier, but will send an aide-de-camp and Minister of Foreign Affairs to represent him.

Italian Affairs.

ROME, April 19.—Deprites, president of the council and minister of finance, told the financial committee of the Chamber of Deputies that the ministry foresaw the present phase of the Eastern question when the budget was submitted to Parliament. He hoped the war would be localized. It would only be in the event of a Russian army marching upon Constantinople that the situation might threaten to assume a grave character and more extended complications ensue. The government therefore did not propose to modify its financial plans. Deprites recommended the committee, however, to examine the budget with the greatest care, in order that in all contingencies there might be means of meeting unforeseen expenses or diminution of receipts.

Movement of Troops.

ORSOVA, April 19.—Roumania troops are concentrating in Little Wallachia, the greater portion being dispatched to Kalafat.

Will not Fight till the Chip is Knocked off.

PESTH, April 19.—A communication published by official papers declares that Austro-Hungary will only remain neutral as long as its interests in the East are not menaced.

Navigation Ceases.

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 19.—The Russian steamboat company have announced a suspension of their service. The last boat at Odessa sails on Friday.

Closed Down.

LONDON, April 19.—A special from Pera announces that the Russian chancellory closed Wednesday. Future business will be conducted at the German embassy.

Russo-Persian Alliance.

LONDON, April 19.—Russia is negotiating an alliance with Persia, and the Shah is offering 50,000 men to join the army in Anatolia.

Opening of the Campaign.

Hostilities have commenced around Nicsic. Abdul Kerim has arrived at Silistria. Troops are very enthusiastic.

The Czar's Movements.

BERLIN, April 19.—The *National Zeitung* learns that the Czar will not travel through Moscow in going to Kischineff, which occasions considerable surprise in Russia. It is stated however the Czar will make a short stay at Kischineff, visit Moscow returning, and issue his war manifesto there.

What the English Lords Say.

LONDON, April 19.—In the House of Lords this evening Lord Stratheden moved for copies of the treaties and other papers which authorized England to intervene in behalf of Christians in Turkey, and expressed the belief that through the international obligations war ought to be still averted. Lord Rosebery spoke in opposition to this view. Lord Derby said he would require England to fulfill the treaty of Paris. The opinions of those best informed regarding the diplomatic situation did not give sanguine hopes of averting war. England did not wish to interfere, but reserved to herself the right to protect English interests if they were threatened.

Austria Prepared.

BERLIN, April 19.—Intelligence has been received from Vienna that Austria is sufficiently prepared in a military sense for the event of an outbreak. The passage of the Danube by the Russians would probably be the moment for Austria to cross the Bosnian-Herzegovinian frontier. This would not be an act directed against Russia, and would be far from being intended to impede Russian operations in Bulgaria. Its only purpose would be to secure Austrian interests in case Russia should obtain a military success. If circumstances in Servia should render it necessary Austria might occupy Bosnia at a still earlier period.

Delayed by Rain.

BELGRADE, April 19.—The rainy season will probably delay a general advance in the alluvial places of Roumania, where the roads are impassable after heavy rains. The Danube is also very high and rising rapidly. It is therefore scarcely probable that any extensive military movements will be attempted for three weeks at least.

Layard and the Turks.

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 19.—Layard is expected to-night. He will have an interview with Edhem Pasha and Safvet Pasha to-morrow, but no hope is entertained of avoiding war. Hobart Pasha, commander-in-chief of the Turkish navy, has left for the Danube.

The Plague.

The plague is increasing in Bagdad.

False Report.

The reported engagement near Nicsic is false.

Turko-Montenegrin Troubles.

LONDON, April 19.—A dispatch from Vienna reports that a Montenegrin corps under Gen. Vukatich is concentrating at the mouth of the defile of Duga, a short distance from the Turkish troops. A collision is momentarily expected. The Prince of Montenegro is about to go to the camp before Nicsic.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

An Old Soldier.

VIENNA, April 19.—The Emperor of Austria has written a letter to Archduke Albert, commander-in-chief of the army, congratulating him on the fiftieth anniversary of his entrance into military service.

Fatal Colliery Explosion.

LONDON, April 19.—An explosion and inundation at Twedyllen colliery, at Ponty Pridd, Wales, Wednesday, April 11th, imprisoned nine men behind a column of coal 40 yards thick. Continuous operations for their rescue resulted in opening communication with them to-day. Five were found alive, four had wandered to other parts of the mine, and it is believed perished.

Held for Trial.

LONDON, April 19.—Chas. Bradlaugh and Mrs. Annie Besant, free thought advocates recently arrested on a charge of printing and publishing a pamphlet, alleged to be of an immoral character have been held for trial on their recognizance.

Business Items.

At the Stock Exchange there is an important recovery in prices on continental buying, and purchases to cover recent speculative sales.

False Report.

LIVERPOOL, April 19.—The *Courier* says the statement of the failure of Gibson, Walker & Co., merchants, was untrue.

Bismarck's Movements.

Bismarck has left Berlin for Vazen.

CANADA.

Failure of a Railroad King.

NEW YORK, April 19.—The *World's* Montreal special says A. B. Foster, Canada's railroad king, has failed. His liabilities are stated at $7,390,000, and chiefly due in England for purchase of the Canada Central Railroad and for steel rails. Portions of the amount are said to be due to New York banks.

Railway Combination.

TORONTO, April 19.—A cable dispatch says it is understood Mr. Childers will become president of the amalgamated Grand Trunk and Great Western boards. It has been agreed that the receipts of the two railroads be pooled, the Grand Trunk receiving 65 per centum and Western 35.

SUICIDE AT EUGENE CITY.

A letter from our correspondent at Eugene City, says the Salem *Mercury* of the 18th, says:

Mr. Enoch Smith shot himself in this city this morning about 6 o'clock. The ball entered the front of the body, at or near the upper end of the stomach, and is supposed to have made a mortal wound. When our correspondent mailed his letter this morning it had not been ascertained whether it was done accidentally or whether it was a deliberate attempt to take his own life. Our correspondent was inclined to entertain the latter opinion. Smith held position of night policeman in Eugene for a number of years, and was regarded by all as an honorable and upright citizen. His has not been an uneven full life, but, on the contrary, has been checkered with many dark clouds and hardships. He is the Smith who, in 1849 or 1850, was implicated in the killing of Mr. Hooker, on the Rickreal, in Polk county. He, with one or two others, was sentenced to be hanged for that crime, but it transpiring that he knew nothing of the murder, more than that he had heard one of the other parties convicted threaten to do the deed and was in his company when arrested, the then Governor pardoned him, his pardon arriving after he had been taken to the gallows. He afterwards went to Lane county, took up a land claim and married. For a number of years he quietly pursued the avocation of a farmer, and at times worked at his trade, that of a carpenter, and was esteemed by nearly every one with whom he became acquainted in that locality. After raising several children he and his wife disagreed and finally separated. The separation occurred some ten years ago, since when he has drifted from place to place. At one time he was one of the guards at the State prison, under Major Berry. During all this time we have never heard his integrity questioned, and he had apparently outlived the cloud of suspicion cast over him by his supposed complicity in the murder of Hooker. The event occurring at Eugene City this morning, whether intentional or not, perhaps ends a life which was by no means a "bed of roses," and which, perhaps, had become too great a burden to longer bear, although the burden had been manfully struggled with through a long series of years, until so far as the outward world could see, the worst of it had been lifted off.

Walla Walla *Statesman:* Within the past week we hear of quite a number of persons who have repaired to the north side of Snake river for the purpose of taking up land. In that section of country there is any amount of desirable land that can be taken up under the pre-emption or homestead laws. Should the country continue to prosper, these lands in a very few years will be worth from $30 to $40 an acre.

Our arrangements for special Eastern and foreign telegrams have been in some way interfered with—probably by interested parties in this city—*Standard.*

Interfered with, it may be supposed, by the telegraph company, interested in getting its pay.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

CALIFORNIA.

San Francisco Stock Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 19.—Ophir 11¼, Mexican 9¾, G & C 8¾, B & B 21¾, Cal 36¼, Savage 2¼, Con Va 35, Chollar 37½, Point 8, Jacket 3½, Imperial 1 10, Kentuck 5, Alpha 11, Belcher 6½, Confidence 6½, S Nevada 4 45, Exchequer 3 65, Utah 10¾, Bullion 7½, Seg Belcher 25, Overman 21¼, Justice 9¾, Union 5, Julia 1 70, Caledonia 3 40, Baltimore 30c, S Hill 1 80, Dayton 10c, R Island 15c, New York 25c, Washington 2¼, N Con Va 30c, Prospect 30c, Kossuth 20c, Andes 80c, Trojan 65c, Woodville 30c.

EVENING BOARD—B & E 8¾, Bu Con 19, Patch 1 90, Leopard 3 35, Thomas 20, Belle 17½, Hussey 15c, Manhattan 6½, Defrees 1 10, Prize 3 75, Modoc 2 35, N Coso 4, G Chariot 2½, Leeds 1 50 Point 7½, Con Va 33, Alpha 10, Chollar 34½, B & B 19¾, Overman 21, Ophir 14¼, California 35¼, Bullion 7½, G & C 8, Belcher 5¼, Justice 9¼, Exchequer 3 35, Mexican 8½, S Nevada 3 90, Union 4 80, Julia 1½, S Hill 1¼, Imperial 1, Jacket 7½.

Rain and Snow.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 19.—A dispatch from Auburn says it has been raining hard since daylight. Snowing in the mountains.

The Turf.

SACRAMENTO, April 18.—Again there was a fine day and splendid track. Attendance was not so large as yesterday, the race being among horses which had only a local reputation. Entries were shady, David Hill, Jr., Elko, Ophir and John C. Heenan, the pacing being in same order in which names are written. Ophir was the favorite in the pools and he won in three straight heats; Elko second, Hill and Heenan distanced in the first heat. Time, 2:39, 2:37½, 2:35. To-morrow's race is eliciting a great deal of interest. Mollie McCarty, Lady Amanda, Council Bluffs and Wheatley are entries. The race is heats of two miles, and a close and exciting race is anticipated.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 19.—At Sacramento to-day Mollie McCarty, Lady Amanda, Council Bluffs and Wheatley ran a two mile and repeat race, the former winning in two straight heats. Time—3:38¼ and 3:36¾; the best recorded time in the State.

A Dead Soldier.

Col. Garrett Dunn, who, during the late war commanded the Second Regiment of Meagher's Irish Brigade of New York Volunteers, died in this city to-day of consumption.

Grand Turnout and Bust.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 19.—Senator Sargent arrived this evening on the overland train and proceeded to the Cosmopolitan Hotel, and soon after was waited upon by a deputation of about 30 gentlemen headed by Dr. Spilvalo, by whom he was presented with a marble bust wrought by the artist Mezzara, with an appropriate presentation address. Mr. Sargent in replying pleaded fatigue as an excuse for passing over political topics.

Oil and Copper.

SAN JOSE, April 19.—It is claimed that a very extensive mineral region has been discovered in opening up the South Pacific Narrow Gauge Railroad, at a point about nine miles south of this city, in which are found rich prospects of copper, is an oil well, which it is reported will yield from 1,000 to 5,000 gallons of oil per day.

Weather and Crops.

This morning a light shower of rain fell, but before 9 o'clock, the wind which has prevailed from the northwest for two past weeks, came up and has continued ever since. The wind has materially injured the sections of country where it was believed an average yield would be realized. Wheat is becoming wilted in appearance, and indicates that there will be no further growth.

Trial of the Chico Criminals.

CHICO, April 18.—County Court met this morning at 10 o'clock to begin the trial of the Chico incendiaries. Seventy jurymen had previously been summoned, and they, together with the witnesses and interested spectators, made a crowd never seen before in this court house. The case of H. T. Jones was called for trial. Both sides announced themselves ready. The State is represented by District Attorney Freer, Gov. Woods, J. F. Hutton and A. J. Gifford; the defendant by Hon. P. O. Hundley, of this place, one of the oldest criminal lawyers on the coast. The entire morning has been consumed in getting a jury. The following were selected as jurymen: John L. Lewis, B. F. Kellum, A. Turner, L. I. Clark, W. Bassett, G. W. Lassett, G. W. Riley, L. E. Morse, F. Jaggard, John Onyrt, J. N. Bennett and E. Bradbury. They are nearly all farmers and men of intelligence.

People are beginning to get greatly excited as the dry season is approaching, and they are alarmed lest the wheat fields may become the next scene of conflagration.

Court meets at 2 this afternoon.

OROVILLE, April 19.—Four witnesses have been examined this forenoon on the part of the State. The great object in view is to show that the sworn statement of the defendant was made voluntary and without any hope of reward. The defense claims that every confession made was only after some inducement was held out to him. The testimony of Hill, the detective who wrote the confession, was very positive that he held no inducements to him. The State attempted here to introduce in evidence the sworn confession of Jones, but Mr. Hundley opposed it in a long argument, at the conclusion of which, the court took a recess. Free replies after dinner. It is the general impression that the court will permit the confession to go to the jury. The excitement continues to increase as the trial goes on. Little knots of farmers are scattered here and there talking the matter over. They are the ones most fearful that the jury will not convict Jones. Hundley is making a most bitter fight in behalf of his client and the case proceeds very slowly.

OROVILLE, April 19.—In the trial of Jones for arson, the court has admitted in evidence the sworn confession of the prisoner, admitting having assisted in burning the factory. Wright, his partner in crime, testified to the same effect, witness setting the fire while Jones stood guard with a cocked pistol. Witness met Jones at York Randall's house, where they all three planned the firing of the building. The State rested here and the defendant took the stand, testifying in his own behalf, denying Wright's statement above, and denying that he had made any confession freely, but only did so with a hope of saving himself. Court stopped witness testifying with regard to the confession, as that had already been admitted in evidence. Witness flatly denied that he had anything to do with the burning of the soap factory, and claimed that his sworn confession was false in every particular, and had been changed since he wrote it. York Randall testified he made no agreement with Wright and Jones to burn the building, and denied all Wright's statements regarding himself. Roberts, under indictment for arson, testified that the confession made by him was false. Detective Hall, in rebuttal, denied that Jones' confession had been changed in any way. The evidence is closed, and arguments will commence to-morrow.

ARIZONA.

A Retraction.

SAN DIEGO, April 18.—A special correspondent of the *Union* writes from Tucson, Arizona, that the citizens of that town will publish Saturday next a private letter from the proprietor of the Prescott *Miner* to Gov. Safford, assuring him of their confidence in his honesty and energy, and repudiating the recent attack of their journal on his course on the Indian question.

NEVADA.

Killed.

GOLD HILL, April 19.—John O'Leary, brother-in-law of Col. Deane, a well known San Francisco stock broker, was killed in the second tunnel between here and Virginia about one o'clock this morning. He was sitting on the side of the track asleep, and the cylinder of the engine struck him, crushing his head. He lived but a short time.

In Washington county the number of school districts is 58; school children, 2,572. For the year ending March 31st the expenditures for public schools in the county were $15,-385 [illegible].

THE TERRITORIES.

Last year, at Seattle, potatoes were scarce, and sold readily at $1 50 a bushel. They sell now at 30 to 50 cents, and the supply exceeds the demand.

A Salem paper says the "Willamette Mills have just shipped 70 pieces (480 yards) of gray tweeds to one house in Seattle." From this, says the Seattle *Dispatch*, we infer that our worthy friend I. K. Baxter has been over to Kenney's, to order a new pair of pantaloons.

The bark *W. C. Parke*, belonging to Pope & Talbot, which left Port Gamble on the 12th of last August for Adelaide, has not since been heard from, and is supposed to be lost. She was formerly the German bark *Max*, and was considered a good vessel. She was insured for $10,000 and her cargo and freight money for $12,000 more. Capt. Blackstone was her commander.

Good for pluck and assurance! A Washington Territory paper declares that in consequence of the war in Europe the valley of Ukraine will be supplanted by the Yakima in supplying the world with the sinews of war,—meaning breadstuffs. This is a little like what the Steilacoom paper did when Chicago was destroyed by fire. It headed the news, "Unparalleled Conflagration! Our Sister City in Ruins!"

The *Dispatch* (Seattle) appeals to the people of its Territory to lend a helping hand to new comers, that they may be assisted to get "fixed" in the country. It says: "Over 230 people arrived in Puget Sound waters on Sunday, and what are they going to do? Can they all subsist on what they have long enough to improve land in the Skagit basin and reap the reward of their industry from a war in Europe? These people are all strangers have scarcely enough to bring them here.

At Olympia, of the seven religious denominations now regularly organized and prosperously maintained, the [illegible] odist, Baptist, Congregational, [illegible] tarian and Catholic, all have [illegible] edifices owned by [illegible] and all except the latter [illegible] flourishing Sunday schools, [illegible] over by live superintendents supported by efficient and energetic corps of officers and teachers. Each church has an organ. Olympia now has three weekly and one daily newspaper, one semi-[illegible] and one [illegible]. How the publishers of these several journals contrive to sustain them and [illegible] able livelihood is not for us to answer, [illegible] the [illegible] intelligent [illegible] solve the problem.

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Salem *Mercury*: "Our [illegible] Porter [illegible] endeavor [illegible] Chinaman [illegible] read [illegible] also [illegible] them to work [illegible]

A [illegible] Polk [illegible] the new county road [illegible] Salem [illegible] road will [illegible] upon [illegible] the old [illegible] ferry road [illegible] of the city.

At a convention [illegible] Grangers [illegible] Oregon City [illegible] Arthur [illegible] well, [illegible] Rachel Thompson [illegible] Warner and Mrs. Mary [illegible] representatives [illegible] meets in Salem [illegible]

[illegible]

"Occasional" [illegible] above point under [illegible] date:

The streams are full of [illegible]

The [illegible]

Elk and deer are abundant hereabouts.

A [illegible] Saturday.

[illegible]

There are [illegible] Valley and this place.

A number of new [illegible] tween [illegible]

More grain has been [illegible] twice the amount [illegible]

Mr. C. W. Smith [illegible]

Joe [illegible] quite [illegible] but is now [illegible]

There are a number of [illegible] farming [illegible] energy to make them [illegible]

A new steam saw mill, erected by [illegible] son, has just commenced operations. Its capacity is 6,000 feet per day and has very fine timber around it.

Mayor [illegible] on his way to [illegible] company with Mr. [illegible] man whose name we did not [illegible] the Sponges are a "Sonsam."

THE FATHER OF DEMOCRACY.

PORTLAND, April 9, 1877.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

In these days, when some of your Democratic contemporaries are attempting to resurrect Jeffersonian Democracy, it might not be amiss to call attention to a few of the sayings and doings of this eminent functionary. Observe, for instance, the cool and calculating manner of Jefferson, when, in 1787, in a letter to Madison (see 2 Jeff. Corresp. 276), he wrote of rebellions as follows: "The late rebellion in Massachusetts has given more alarm than I think it should have done. Calculate that one rebellion in thirteen States in the course of eleven years is but one for each State in a century and a half. *No country should be so long without one.*"

Think of it! A State to have the frequent luxury of a civil war, with all attending evils. A rebellion with military power, bloodshed, desolation and misery—"*no country should be so long without one!*"

Again, in a letter to Mr. Crawford (see 4 Jeff. Corresp. 285), he slaps in the mouth those of his followers who questioned the constitutionality of the legal tenders issued during the late war, by proposing to "insure resources for money by the suppression of *all* paper circulation *during peace*, and licensing *that of the nation alone during war.*" Not only would he allow the general government to issue paper money during a war, but he would make the right exclusive. Not content with that, he would, during peace prevent even corporations created by sovereign States for banking purposes, or even any private individual, from issuing any bank notes or other paper money whatever. As a strict constructionist he was hardly any the less a success, when in 1807 he recommended and approved the limited embargo act; or when, in 1803, he ratified the treaty admitting Louisiana; or in 1810, when he contended for the right of the Executive to purchase Florida, and, finally, when in referring to the alien and sedition laws, and to the case of Marbury vs. Secretary of State, 1 Cranch, 137, he claimed for himself in his department the right to construe the Constitution and to disregard the decision of the Supreme Court—that national arbiter created by the people to finally settle all controversies arising under the Constitution, laws and treaties of the United States.

Undoubtedly it will be pleasant for those Democrats who tried to destroy the Union because they could not spread slavery over it, to adjust their spectacles and read in 1st Jef. Cor. 146, from the *fac simile* of the original draft of the Declaration of Independence the following in regard to the slave trade, which he denounces "as a piratical warfare of the King of Great Britain, determined to keep open a market where men should be bought and sold," and that "he has prostituted his negative for suppressing every legislative attempt to prohibit or restrain this execrable commerce."

NOTES FROM SALEM.

Under date of the 19th our Salem [illegible] sends the following:

Two of Salem's worst [illegible] in jail for attempting to [illegible]

One of our young men [illegible] other day for saying [illegible]

The Grangers' Warehouse [illegible] Salem, has only about 100 [illegible] the bins.

The armistice between the [illegible] gaged in fighting the [illegible] will soon be at an end.

The widow of the late A. R. C[illegible] $200 from the Odd Fellows [illegible] which Mr. Cooper was a member.

The [illegible] known [illegible] Oakey Hall, [illegible] friends.

Adam [illegible] intendent of the [illegible] Oregon, is in town, and [illegible] that mining company.

E. O. Norton will issue the first [illegible] *Salem Daily Record* [illegible] three dollars here [illegible] SMAN, Salemites ought [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

Dated Portland, April 1[illegible]
Salem *Statesman* [illegible]

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10 DIFFERENT [illegible]
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We shall sell the [illegible]

The [illegible] Oregonian.

FRIDAY MORNING, APRIL 20, 1877.

AN IMPORTANT DUTY.

It is probable that Oregon will receive from abroad an addition of twenty thousand to her population this year. Persons who are keeping a watchful eye on the routes of travel reckon the arrivals at the present time at fully two thousand a month. The Oregon Steamship Company has adopted a new and effective method to turn inquiry in this direction. It is advertising Oregon in the leading newspapers in California, and through agents at Omaha, and the result is felt in the increased [illegible] of travel hither, as well as in the [illegible] demand for further information concerning our State. This demand is being supplied as far as possible through the use of the [illegible]. A pamphlet issued by the land department of our railroad company, of which we have heretofore spoken, is doing good work in this way. There is reason to believe that the flow of emigration to our State will continue. In the new States and Territories of the great middle region the grasshoppers' [illegible] discouragement to settlers, and the fact is becoming known that the rigors of climate [illegible] very unfavorably with the [illegible] of the climate of the Pacific coast. [illegible] reach California many [illegible] disappointment; owing to the [illegible] of the present season the coun[illegible]ly does not wear a cheerful or prom[illegible]; work is not obtainable, and it is [illegible] that the attention of many should [illegible] toward our State.

[illegible] that they are coming a duty is [illegible] every one of our citizens. People [illegible] are desirous of obtaining in[illegible] in regard to lands, crops, markets, [illegible] other interests. Many of them [illegible] friends or acquaintance in [illegible] to know where lands can [illegible] wish to learn where lands [illegible] taken up are situated. Others [illegible] opportunity to work for [illegible], and others who may [illegible] be cheerfully assisted in their [illegible] established in the State. This [illegible] hands of our people. Every one [illegible] readiness to do his part of it as [illegible].

[illegible] nearly one hundred thou[illegible]. Its limited population is [illegible] the vast expanse of its territory. [illegible], with less than half the area of [illegible] a population of four millions; [illegible] variety and extent of natural [illegible] Pennsylvania or any [illegible]. Population has not yet [illegible] and mountains at all; [illegible] valleys are still untouched. [illegible] lands of Western Oregon, which [illegible] be cleared and converted into [illegible] the most desirable lands [illegible]'s hilly and mountainous [illegible] possessed of more [illegible] the similar parts of Vir[illegible], and the great stretch [illegible] south of Rogue river to [illegible], occupied by what we [illegible] better land as a whole [illegible] New England. Among [illegible] counties not so [illegible] Tillamook, and with [illegible], each of which contains a [illegible] half that of Oregon, to[illegible] of developed wealth [illegible] such number of inhabi[illegible].

[illegible] the State, and desiring [illegible] lands will not expect [illegible] such lands in or near locali[illegible] have long been made, [illegible] and other ad[illegible]. They know that in form[illegible] these things must be [illegible] time to grow. It only [illegible] and perseverance [illegible] other incidents of life in a [illegible] triumph over them, that [illegible] in the pioneers of every [illegible] from ocean to ocean, and [illegible] the gulf. Those who come [illegible] every respect more for[illegible] pioneers, who endured [illegible] toilsome march over the [illegible] a wild country which no [illegible] where there was none to help. [illegible] of the old times is not a [illegible]; we shall see in those who [illegible] who are yet to come among [illegible] spirit, the same uncon[illegible] which our fathers knew [illegible] many of the present [illegible] witnessed and experienced.

[illegible] Oregon is in all respects a [illegible] than those parts of Southern [illegible] emigrants arriving at San [illegible] in large numbers. Emi[illegible] come to arid deserts. [illegible] open country, the great re[illegible] Cascade range is open to [illegible] are willing to try the lands of [illegible] localities are easily found [illegible] where the streams [illegible] fail, where the land may be [illegible] little labor and rigors of climate [illegible] need never be feared. [illegible] may still be had as home[illegible] miles of Portland. The [illegible] Multnomah and Clackamas [illegible] are told, present many fine [illegible] settlers. In Columbia, Washing[illegible] there are like opportunities. [illegible] who are seeking free lands must not [illegible], however, to get them without going [illegible] from the denser settlements, nor [illegible] in Western Oregon much land [illegible] and without preparation for the [illegible]. We renew the suggestion to all who [illegible] knowledge of suitable lands for settlers [illegible] cheerfully all information they can. [illegible] have done too little for the State; [illegible] enough of interest has been taken in this [illegible] important subject. A time is now come [illegible] great results will attend judicious effort [illegible] in proper ways the people who are [illegible] into our State and seeking homes.

LARGE POLITICS ON A SMALL SCALE.

In British Columbia they are playing politics on a small scale, but with the results equal in greater political establishments. The Victoria *Standard*, (which of course is an opponent of the government or it would not speak so plainly) attacks the extravagance of the provincial administration, and cites instances and proofs that show our British cousins to be reasonably well versed in arts and practices in which we on this side of the line have some experience. The rough blasts of civil service reform, if they ever reach Victoria, will probably wither a good many branches grafted on the tree of government, now growing in the bloomy flush and rich fruitage of prosperity. The *Standard* thus touches up the "usufructs:"

Though our liabilities are increasing, and our ability to meet them decreasing in an inverse ratio, the expenses of another portfolio, with additional salaries to the amount of over [illegible] in twelve months, have been added to the burdens of the people. The payment to [illegible] unanswering sup[illegible] of the government. The [illegible] of a port[illegible] induced him to be false to the pledges made to his constituents. Every increase to an official's salary has, of course, purchased support. Legislation has thus been reduced to a farce, and, as we have said before, the downright plunder of the Treasury has been assented to with a grim humor which bespeaks an absence of all honest sentiment. Whither, therefore, are we drifting?

Oregon is satisfied that Turkey is right. Also that Russia cannot without sacrifice of honor decline to fight. In fact the voice of Oregon is for war—in Europe. Not that her people are insensible to the horrors of war, but for the reason that they have, or presently will have, wheat to sell; and since they are determined to fight out an old quarrel over there, humanity requires that we sell bread impartially to both sides. And wheat goes up and up. We shall try to stand it here in Oregon, content with the effects of the war upon ourselves, though we may not be able to get through the labyrinth of European politics that lies behind the declaration of hostilities. It is fair, however, to say that the European war is not the sole cause of the rise in breadstuffs. It is one cause among many.

The *Standard* wants to know why we publish the fact that the stupendous scheme of the present Pacific railroads to swindle the government is having an injurious effect upon our petitions for railway aid. Simply because it is the fact, the great leading fact, of the present situation. It meets our request for aid and continually defeats it. And since this is so it would be childish to take no note of it and remain blind to the unwelcome truth. And besides it is right our people should not forget what it is that hinders the consummation so devoutly wished, and what they are doing who uphold this scheme so detrimental to the real interests of Oregon.

Republicans who are dissatisfied with the President's policy would, if they should speak their minds, put their objections in very simple form. They would say that they don't like to see a man climb into the highest position in the nation through the aid and fidelity of a set of men, and then deliberately desert them. This reasoning isn't very broad; for haven't these persons read what the all-knowing one said on this very point:

> For lowliness is young ambition's ladder
> Whereto the climber upward turns his face;
> But when he has attained the topmost round
> Looks up into the clouds, *scorning the base degrees*
> *By which he did ascend.* So Cæsar may.

This evening Mrs. Duniway will begin a series of three lectures at Oro Fino Hall. The topics treated will be of special interest. She has expended much thought and labor upon them, and they will be presented from new points of view, differing widely from the hackneyed treatment usually followed by those who discuss them.

Good bye, Packard. And now that the last Southern State has gone into the hands of the Democrats, and gone there is little doubt for good and all, we have heard the last, let us hope, of that miserable term, "carpet-bag politics."

MARRIED.

Near Salem, April 3, Adam Omhart and Miss Relda Smith.

April 19, 1877, at the residence of the bride's father, Judge Lancaster, in Clarke county, W. T., by the Rev. A. L. Lindsley, D. D., Mr. Godfrey E. Tiskiewicz and Miss Hannah Lancaster, both of Clarke county, W. T.

In this city, on the 18th inst., by the Rev. John Rosenberg, Mr. Leopold Brenckle and Miss Emma D. Eshager.

At the Lower Cascade, W. T., on the 17th inst., by the Rev. John Rosenberg, Mr. Murdo McKay and Miss Helen M. Hamilton. [No cards.]

DIED.

At Salem, April 18, Vianna Eveline, daughter of Jackson and Harriet Cooley, aged 3 years.

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THE MEMBERS OF WILLAMETTE LODGE NO. 2 will meet at their Lodge Room this (Friday) morning at 10½ o'clock for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late brother, E. Wilcox. Members of sister lodges and visiting brethren are cordially invited to attend. By order of the W. M.

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7 cases Gents' Fine Calf Dress Boots,
5 " Men's Fine Kip Boots,
10 dozen Ladies' Congress Gaiters,
5 " Boys' Congress Gaiters,
5 " Misses Lasting Gaiters,
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	7 A. M.	2 P. M.
Observed Barometer	30.020	30.070
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Thermometer	43°	52°
Relative Humidity	88	60
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LAST.—Yesterday, under the new the O. S. S. Co.'s steamer *Ajax* San Francisco for Portland, hav- passengers: S. Adams, wife Thayer and wife, Miss M. E. McKay, J. Southrock, T. D. Dowling, T. Van Allen, Knox, Z. T. Polk, W. McDonald, E. Chamberlin, L. Stone, N. Canady, S. L. Russell, G. Ribebold, G. M. W. T. Griffin, Mrs. W. J. child, J. Shepperd, J. M. and wife, E. G. Wilkinson, H. E. Lasalle, Mrs. S. M. Jenny and child, Mrs. E Thompson, Dr. J. P. Tiernan, troupe, Mme. DeMurska, Charles Fritsch, Theodore, Hill, F. Lafontaine, L. For- M. Brooks.

BY A HORSE.—Yesterday, about 11 A. M., a blacksmith named Lyle, em- at the shop of Dyer Bros., on Second met with a very severe and perhaps accident. Lyle was engaged in shoeing vicious horse at the shop at the time accident. The animal proved to be table, and while Lyle was endeav- the horse down so that its shoes taken off and the hoofs prepared, he a terrible kick just above the left eye. was cut, and it is feared the skull fractured. After receiving the blow in an unconscious condition hours. Dr. Pilkington was hastily and rendered what surgical aid he Lyle's injuries are regarded as very his chances of recovery are doubt- Since writing the foregoing, we the injured man has died from the kick.

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TENDERS HIS THANKS.—Mr. T. J. Allen, the poor immigrant, who came to this city a few weeks since and had the very great misfortune to see his wife soon after arriving in Portland, desires us in his behalf to return his sincere thanks to those who so kindly assisted him in his sad bereavement. It will be remembered that some of our good citizens raised a sum of money and rendered the afflicted family many kind offices. The bereaved husband and father says he is thankful that circumstances cast his lot among such friends. He shall ever remember their disinterested acts of Christian benevolence.

THE MATTER SETTLED.—Mr. F. M. Taylor, who was arrested a few days ago on complaint of A. J. Hudson, and brought before Justice Bybee, charged with the embezzlement of a small sum of money, has amicably settled the whole difficulty. He paid the costs of court and was discharged from further liability, so far as that case is concerned. Mr. Taylor disclaims any dishonest motive, and thinks he is a victim of unjust prosecution.

WHITE CLAY.—Mr. Charles W. Langdon, residing at Oneatta, Benton county, writes us, making the following inquiry: "Can you give me any information in regard to there being any mine or mines of white clay in Oregon? Or perhaps more familiarly speaking, beds or deposits of white clay. If you can, please do so, stating the locality, and oblige." So far as we know no such bed or deposit has been discovered in this State.

THREE LECTURES.—This week Mrs. A. J. Duniway will deliver three lectures, at Oro Fino theater. This (Friday) evening she will lecture on the subject of "Constitutional Liberty;" Saturday, at 2 o'clock P. M., "Our Boys and Girls;" Saturday evening, "The Mothers of our Boys and Girls as aliens in their own country." The admission to the evening lectures will be 25 cents; to that of the afternoon, 10 cents.

THE STRIKE OVER.—From parties down the river, we learn that the strike among the fishermen on the Lower Columbia is about over. Fishermen have gone to work at a number of the canneries and the "siege," it is to be hoped, has been raised. We are informed that the owners of fisheries have been induced to yield to the demands made by the men, which was 50 cents for each salmon.

PATENT RECEIVED.—The U. S. Commissioner of Patents has just ordered that a patent issue to Mr. Plummer for his invention of a fruit drying machine. This is the same machine which received a premium at the last Oregon State Fair, and the product of which won a gold medal at the Centennial Exhibition at Philadelphia. The machine has certainly proved a great success.

OBSEQUIES.—The funeral of Dr. Ralph Wilcox will take place this forenoon at 11 o'clock from his late residence, southeast corner of Madison and Third streets. The obsequies will be conducted by the Masonic fraternity, of which order deceased was an honored member. Friends are cordially invited to attend.

EAST PORTLAND AND VICINITY.

Nimrods have been returning from Columbia slough with all the wild geese they could carry—not to market, but for consumption at home.

On Tuesday and Wednesday last wild geese in innumerable flocks passed over the city in their northward flight—a sure sign that frosts are over for this season.

East Portland and vicinity, where property is cheap and rents low, are receiving a full share of the new tide of immigration flowing into our midst. More may be accommodated.

A considerable delegation of East Portlanders came over on Wednesday evening to this city to hear the last concert of the celebrated Jubilee Singers, at the Taylor street M. E. church.

City Marshal, Mr. F. Manning, looks well to the interests of the corporation. Hence East Portland, although it is larger in extent and population, is more quiet and orderly than it has ever been.

East Portlanders are decidedly pleased with the present management of the Stark street ferry. Everything is done by the company possible for the accommodation and convenience of the public.

Quarterly Meeting services for Powell Valley circuit, M. E. Church, will be held at Union school house on Saturday and Sunday next; Rev. F. Elliott, pastor; Rev. A. C. Fairchild, Presiding Elder.

Lone Fir Cemetery begins to look neat and attractive under the careful management of Mr. L. Kiernan, who has been engaged to put the entire grounds in order. The credit of Portland has been injured by past neglect.

Material has already been placed on the ground adjoining the drug store for a valuable brick building to be erected soon by Dr. C. H. Raffety, of East Portland. The lower rooms will be used for stores, the upper for a large hall for public purposes.

Mr. W. Brainard and family, of Mount Tabor, repaired to Brooks' station, Marion county, to be present at a family reunion, yesterday, in celebration of the golden wedding, or fiftieth anniversary of the marriage of Mr. Linus Brooks and wife, the honored parents of Mrs. Brainard.

Captain John Smith, agent of the Warm Springs Indian reservation, reports that at the recent session of the Presbytery of the United Presbyterian church, an appropriation of fifteen hundred dollars was made, with which to employ a competent missionary to labor with the Indians, also for an assistant school teacher.

PERSONAL.

Capt. M. C. Wilkinson, U. S. A., has tendered his resignation as President of the Y. M. C. A., of this city; cause, pressure of official duties. The association has not, as yet, acted upon the resignation. Mr. D. W. Wakefield, Vice President, will perform the duties of President *ad interim*.

Rev. J. H. Wilbur, of the Simcoe Indian Agency, was in Portland a few days since, having brought down to Vancouver a refractory Indian chief, Scammisha, of the sect known as "Dreamers." Father Wilbur has returned to the agency, but expects to be in this city again about May 1st.

Hon. Joseph Smith and wife, who have been visiting in California during the past winter, returned to their home in this city last Monday evening. They came via Victoria and Tacoma. H. Y. Thompson, Esq., their son-in-law, returned on the same steamer. He went below a few weeks ago.

We are informed that Judge E. D. Shattuck, of the State Circuit Court, who went to San Francisco several weeks ago, has changed his purpose with reference to visiting the Eastern States. When he left here Judge Shattuck contemplated making a tour to the Atlantic States and of protracting his absence until the latter part of the summer. A gentleman who just arrived here from San Francisco says that the judge is still in that gay city. He is reported to be experiencing a capital time, and has become so enamored of California life and climate that he has concluded to forego his trip East. If this is true, Judge Shattuck will probably return home in the course of a month or two.

THE COURTS.

U. S. CIRCUIT COURT—SAWYER, DEADY, J. J.

WEDNESDAY, April 18, 1877.

The court appointed E. N. Deady as clerk *pro tem*.

Out of respect to the memory of Dr. Ralph Wilcox, clerk of this court, no business was transacted.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT, DEADY, J.

Same proceedings as the circuit court.

THURSDAY, April 19, 1877.

Thomas F. Lewis came into court and plead not guilty to an indictment for carrying on the business of liquor dealer contrary to law.

Adjourned till Tuesday morning next at 10 A. M.

U. S. CIRCUIT COURT—SAWYER, DEADY, J. J.

Thomas Collinson vs Joseph Teal et al; demurrer denied.

George A. Webb, assignee of the estate of A. W. Sturgis, bankrupt, vs I. Sachs and Solomon Sachs; argued and submitted.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

Mr. Zan has lost a valuable dog. See his ad.

Mrs. Ach, not behind others, has come out in elaborate style, as will be observed by card elsewhere. She has a fine stock of new goods, including millinery. A first-class milliner has charge of the millinery department.

Persons who desire to have monuments in Lone Fir cemetery put in good order are requested to read the advertisement of Mr. Harkins. Orders left at his shop, one door east of the Catholic church will receive prompt attention.

Next Wednesday, 25th inst. Messrs. Gilman & Irvin, the popular auctioneers, will hold a very important sale. Read their new advertisement. This morning the same firm will hold a sale at their room. Furniture and general merchandise. Chance for bargains.

The best stock of millinery in the city at the Bazar.

For ladies underwear, well made, go to Emporium of Fashion.

My wife says there is no use of my coming home to lunch while Barnes gets up such good ones.

$7 50 buys a Suit of Clothing at Kohn's, cor. First and Morrison streets.

Upholstering done in first-class style by Birmingham, 156 First street. He does the work himself.

Just received, rubber bracelets, from six to fifteen bands, at Mrs. Charles Tichner's.

Ladies and childrens' linen suits in endless variety at J. Harris & Son's.

Grand opening day of new goods at the Emporium of Fashion next Monday.

TRIBUTE TO THE DEAD.

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND BAR—RESOLUTIONS OF CONDOLENCE PASSED ON THE OCCASION OF THE DEATH OF DR RALPH WILCOX.

IN THE UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT ROOM, PORTLAND OREGON, April 18, 1877.

At a meeting of the Portland Bar, held at the United States Circuit Court-rooms, at Portland, on motion of Judge W. W. Page, Hon. William Strong was elected chairman. On motion of W. W. Thayer, Esq., George H. Durham was chosen secretary.

A committee of five was appointed to draft appropriate resolutions expressive of the sense of the Bar on the occasion of the death of Dr. Ralph Wilcox, late clerk of the United States Circuit and District Courts for the district of Oregon.

Hon. J. K. Kelly, Gov. A. C. Gibbs, Judge W. W. Page, W. W. Thayer and B. F. Dowell, Esquires, were appointed as such committee.

On motion of C. A. Dolph, Esq., it was ordered that the committee report at 9:30 A. M. to-morrow, to which time the meeting then adjourned.

WILLIAM STRONG, Chairman.

Attest:
GEO. H. DURHAM, Secretary.

U. S. CIRCUIT COURT ROOMS, PORTLAND, April 19, 1877.

The meeting of the Portland bar was called to order at 9:30 o'clock A. M. by the chairman.

Minutes of yesterday's meeting read and approved.

The report of the committee on resolutions appointed on yesterday was called for, whereupon Hon. J. K. Kelly presented and read the following report and

RESOLUTIONS:

Your committee, appointed to report resolutions expressing the sentiments of the bar in regard to Dr. Ralph Wilcox, late clerk of the United States Circuit and District Courts for the district of the State of Oregon, beg leave to submit the following:

Ralph Wilcox was born in Ontario county, New York, on the 9th day of July, 1818, and graduated at Geneva Medical College in that State; soon afterwards he moved to Missouri; was married there on the 11th day of October, 1840; emigrated to Oregon and settled in Tualatin—afterwards Washington county—in the same year. In 1847 he was elected a member of the legislature of the provisional government of Oregon from Tualatin county; re-elected in 1848, and during the session of 1848-9 was chosen Speaker of that body. In 1851 he was again elected a member of the legislative assembly of the Territory of Oregon from Washington county, and chosen Speaker of the House of Representatives during the session of 1850-1. In 1853 he was a member of the Council in the legislative assembly from the same county, and chosen President of the Council during the session of 1853-4. In the years 1856-7-8 he was register of United States land office at Oregon City. In 1858 he was elected county judge for Washington county, and held that office until 1862, when he was again elected a member of the House of Representatives from Washington county, in the Legislative Assembly of the State of Oregon, which office he held until 1864. In July, 1865 he was appointed clerk of the United States Circuit and District Courts for the District of Oregon, and also United States Commissioner for the same district, which appointments he held continuously until the time of his death on the 18th of April, 1877.

It will thus be seen that from the time Dr. Wilcox became a resident of Oregon in 1845, until yesterday, a period of more than thirty years, he was almost continuously in official life, showing the unabated confidence which the people of Oregon held in the honesty, the integrity and the ability of the brave and kind hearted pioneer who has just passed away. He was always kind and courteous to every one with whom he had any business transaction, whether of a public or private nature, and generous to a fault in dealing with his fellow man. Honored, respected and loved by all who knew him while he lived, his memory will be cherished and held in kindly remembrance by them, now that he is gone.

Therefore, considering the many noble qualities which he possessed, and in view of the long life of usefulness which has now been so sadly closed, your committee recommend the adoption of the following resolutions:

Resolved, That we, the members of the bar in attendance at the United States Circuit Court, have learned with regret the death of Dr. Ralph Wilcox, late clerk of the United States Circuit and District Courts for the District of Oregon; and hereby express our sorrow for the loss which the community has sustained by the death of one of its most estimable citizens.

Resolved, That our heartfelt sympathies are hereby tendered to the family of our deceased friend in their sad bereavement.

Resolved, That as a mark of respect to the memory of the deceased, the members of the bar be requested to attend his funeral to-morrow at 11 o'clock A. M.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JAMES K. KELLY,
B. F. DOWELL,
ADDISON C. GIBBS,
W. W. THAYER,
W. W. PAGE, Committee.

On motion of Hon. J. N. Dolph, the report was accepted and the resolution adopted.

On motion of B. F. Dowell, Esq., the chairman of this meeting was instructed to present the resolutions adopted by this meeting to the circuit court at 4 o'clock to-day, with the request that they be spread on the journal of that court, and a copy, under seal of the court, be furnished to the widow of the deceased.

On motion of Mr. W. H. Effinger, the secretary of this meeting was requested to furnish a copy of the proceedings of this meeting and the resolutions adopted by it to the press of the city.

The meeting then adjourned *sine die*.

WM. STRONG, Chairman.
G. H. DURHAM, Sec'y.

In the Circuit Court Thursday at 4 o'clock, Judge Strong presented the foregoing preamble and resolutions, and moved the Court that they be entered on the journal. On allowing the motion, Judge Deady made the following remarks:

Dr. Ralph Wilcox has long been a prominent and respectable figure in the affairs and society of Oregon. At last he has succumbed to his only enemy and gone to

"The undiscovered country, from whose bourne
No traveler returns."

Distinguished through life for integrity and impartiality, in the dread hour and article of death, he had the courage to be honest with himself and his Maker, as he had ever been with his fellowman. Years ago we met him in the halls of the territorial legislature, at Oregon City, and there laid the foundation of that friendship and esteem which withstood the strain of time and circumstance for more than a quarter of a century.

As I once said of him, "With ability and popularity, he only lacked audacity or industry, or both, to have been one of the foremost men in Oregon." But if he never reached the topmost round of the ladder of power and fame, at least his threescore years on earth have been marked by no wrong or injustice to others. Kind, genial and unselfish to all with whom he came in contact, he leaves behind neither hatred nor bitterness, but only pitying and mourning friends.

In his death I feel that one of the ties that bind me to earth has given way and that I am so much the more willing to obey the ever nearing summons to depart and be at rest forever.

"So nature deals with us, and takes away
Our playthings, one by one, and by the hand
Leads us to rest so gently, that we go
Scarce knowing if we wish to go or stay."

Buy your linen suits at the Bazar.

The finest stock of Clothing and the lowest prices are at Kohn's Clothing Palace.

I'm so glad—Hickory nuts, big ones, at Stone's.

Mrs. B. A. Owens, M.D., Office and residence, east side First street, between Yamhill and Taylor. Special attention given to Women and Children complaints. Also gives Medicated Vapor Baths, combined with Electricity, in treating Rheumatism and Chronic Diseases.

Corner loafers are now called "gentlemen of leisure taking sun baths," but gentlemen know that there is no remedy so beneficial for the system as Noble Whisky, sold by Millard & VanSchuyver, 39 Front street.

The Medical Institute of Dr. W. L. Adams, corner of First and Salmon streets, will be removed to Hood river in a few months. Till then chronic diseases of men and women will be treated in Portland as usual. An accomplished lady assistant to give baths to ladies and assist in their treatment always in the office.

ACKERMAN BROS.

Opened their new and elegant stock of clothing and gents' furnishing goods Saturday evening. Their stock is entirely new, fresh, and no remnants or old styles amongst their stock. Go and examine their new and fine stock of goods before purchasing elsewhere. Their prices are so low that they cannot be undersold in the State. Remember the place, corner of First and Washington streets.

HEMORRHOIDS OR PILES.

Dr. T. F. Wightman, the originator and proprietor of the "Wightman Process" for the cure of Piles, blind or bleeding, is at present in San Francisco, California, where all letters should be addressed. Persons desiring the "process" can have it sent C. O. D. by express. The success that Dr. T. F. Wightman had a year since in Oregon in curing the diseases of the rectum will be his recommendation. I refer to the following patients in Oregon—I have no "agents": Jno. M. Bacon, P. M., Oregon City; E. M. Waite, Salem; A. Jennings, engineer O. & C. R. R., and many others.

Address Dr. T. F. Wightman, Cosmopolitan Hotel, San Francisco, Ca.

We sell S. H. Kennedy's Hemlock Sheep Dip. The best and cheapest dip known, and will send a valuable book to sheep owners *free* on application. J. McCRAKEN & CO. Portland, Oregon.

BRIEF NOTES.

Cold showers yesterday.

Opera ie season near at hand.

Flour has "riz." Ditto wheat.

Postal Agent Steel has gone to Southern Oregon.

Lecture at Oro Fino Theater this (Friday) evening.

Steamer *Ajax* will be due here Saturday evening.

De Murska and party are among the passengers on the *Ajax*.

A festival will be held at Hall street church, to-night. A pleasant time may be anticipated.

Johnny Williams is doing some "tall" posting for Prof. Taylor and Madame De Murska.

Net proceeds of Jubilee concerts for Taylor street Sunday Schools and Relief Society were $103 50.

Mr. Edward N. Deady has been appointed clerk of the U. S. District and Circuit Courts pro tem.

Rev. G. H. Atkinson will preach at the Congregational church in Olympia on Sabbath next, April 22d.

In addition to the list of passengers telegraphed, the *Ajax* brings 270 in the steerage, principally immigrants.

The late Dr. Wilcox was born in Ontario county, New York, July 9, 1818, instead of Cattaraugus county as published.

Chas. Christie, a well known printer, who has been an invalid for several months is, we are pleased to state, slowly recovering.

There will be a regular communication of Portland Lodge No. 55, A. F. & A. M., at their lodge room this (Friday) evening at 7:30 o'clock.

A movement is on foot to organize a "Butcher's Union" in Portland. The object is to secure mutual protection and prevent competition in prices.

We understand that the west side railroad company are making arrangements to replace the present Fourth street railroad bridge with a new and more substantial one.

Last evening the steamer *Vancouver* came over to this city. She brought a number of Masons from the lodge at Vancouver, who came over to pay a fraternal visit to members of that order in Portland. The boat returned last night at 10:30 o'clock.

Masquerade costumes from $1 50 upwards, at Mrs. Charles Tichner's, 126 First street.

Captains and pilots will note the fact that Peter Wilhelm has fitted up two rooms for their especial use at the Fountain, corner Ash and First streets. Number of English papers on file, including the London *Daily Shipping and Mercantile Gazette*.

"How about Louisiana?" is the pending question, aside from the favorable remarks in regard to Fabre's coffee.

Two Irreconcilable Conditions.

Debility and health are irreconcilable conditions. Weakly people—that is to say people who lack the vitality requisite for a vigorous discharge of each and all of the bodily functions—are invariably afflicted with some, though it may be a trifling, disorder of the system. Atony, or a want of nervous and muscular vigor, is accompanied by poverty of the blood and leanness. A certain way to overcome it and prevent the aggravated maladies to which it must ultimately lead is to use Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which promote digestion and assimilation of the food, and thus are the means of furnishing the body with a supply of blood of a quality essential to its proper nourishment. Invigoration through the instrumentality of the matchless tonic protects the feeble from a host of bodily ills which lurk in ambush for the debilitated. The Bitters are an article which it is most desirable to keep constantly on hand.

Oppression after eating, headache, nervous debility are the effects of indigestion. One or two, at most, of *Parson's Purgative Pills* will give immediate relief.

Johnson's Anodyne Liniment may be administered to children with perfect success, in cases of croup, whooping cough, influenza, and almost any of the diseases to which they are liable.

Ivory in coral set
When 'twixt parted lips you see,
SOZODONT, 'tis safe to bet,
Beautifies the ivory.

Good Advice.

Now is the time of year for Pneumonia, Lung Fever, etc. Every family should have a bottle of BOSCHEE'S GERMAN SYRUP. Don't allow for one moment *that* cough to take hold of your child, your family or yourself. Consumption, Asthma, Pneumonia, Croup, Hemorrhages and other fatal diseases may set in. Although it is true GERMAN SYRUP is curing thousands of these dreaded diseases, yet it is much better to have it at hand when three doses will cure you. One bottle will last your whole family a winter and keep you safe from danger. If you are consumptive, do not rest until you have tried this remedy. Sample bottles 10 cents; regular size 75 cents. Sold by your Druggist. Agents, Crane & Brigham, Wholesale Druggists, San Francisco.

LYON'S KATHAIRON makes beautiful, glossy, luxuriant hair; prevents its falling out or turning gray. It has stood the test of 40 years. Is charmingly perfumed, and has no rival.

HAGAN'S MAGNOLIA BALM preserves and restores the complexion; removes freckles, tan and sallowness; makes the skin soft, white and delicate. Its application cannot be detected.

CHAS. E. RAY,
Professor of Music,
Teacher of the Piano, Violin, Guitar and Cornet

Leave orders at SHERMAN & HYDE'S, or at residence, cor. Fourth and Morrison streets.

CORN REMEDY.

Dr. Halpruner's Patent Salve, for the cure of Corns, Bunions, &c., is for sale by all druggists.

F NNEN'S HAVANA CIGAR STORE,

Opposite Strowbridge's Block has on hand and for sale a large assortment of fine Cigars, Chewing and Smoking Tobacco, the best, cheapest and largest assortment in the city. Call, judge for yourself, and be convinced that I give more satisfaction for your money than any other retail store here. 98 FIRST STREET.

Portland Steam Scouring Mills Scour and re nap Blankets; scour and repick Mattresses; scour Ply and Ingrain Carpets; Brussels Carpets threshed, cleansed and spots removed. Leave orders at Weeks & Morgan's and Powers' Furniture Store.

PLEASURE BOATS.

JOHN LACHAPELLE, Boat Builder, is prepared to furnish Boats for Sale or Rent at any moment. Boat house Foot of Pine street.

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CHANCE & WELCH,
Dentists,
Office—FIRST STREET,
(Odd Fellows' Temple.)

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Black Cashmeres,

As before.

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$3,500 FOR ONE OR TWO YEARS. FIRST mortgage will be given on property worth $10,000 to $12,000. Address Box 256. a14d2t

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$4,000 OR LESS, ON FIRST CLASS CITY property, first mortgage security; interest at 10 per cent per annum for three years. Address ARTHUR FAGIE, Portland. ap5d1m

AGENTS. 12 ELEGANT OIL CHROMOS, size 9x11, by mail post-paid for $1.00. Send address for Illustrated Catalogue. F. MUNSON, Jun'r, 124 Post street, San Francisco. d12d&wly

TO LET.

To Let, STORE ROOM NO. 105 THIRD ST., is 80 feet deep, and a good stand for city trade. Also, several fine Rooms for offices, &c. Enquire of JOHN WILSON, 107 Third street.

TO RENT.

A SALOON, OR FOR ANY OTHER PURPOSE, a good Building containing five rooms, and a stable for two horses, and wagon house attached, in a good and improving locality, for the very low rent of Twenty Dollars per month. Apply to MR. HEISE, Aurora Restaurant, Front and Alder streets.

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FURNISHED or UNFURNISHED, FRONT ROOM on ower floor suitable for an office, on Fourth street, between D and E. ap5d1m MRS. T. C. TREVGOVE.

FOR SALE.

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TWO HYDRAULIC JACKS, OF SEVEN TONS capacity, will be sold low. JOHN R. FOSTER. Portland, April 10, 1877. 10d2w

LAND FOR SALE.

OFFER MY FARM OF 800 ACRES FOR SALE. Nearly all under fence; 75 acres good pasturage; plenty of timber; 50 acres of meadow, and 150 acres of plow land. It is an excellent farm for hay and grain, and cannot be excelled in Oregon for a Dairy Farm. Price $12 50 per acre. The Farm is situated 10 miles from Umatilla City, on the Umatilla river in Umatilla county, Oregon. ap6d3m J. M. LEEZER.

CHOICE HOTEL or RESIDENCE PROPERTY FOR SALE.

ONE HALF BLOCK, ELIGIBLY SITUATED near the Court House, U. S. Custom House and Postoffice in Astoria. Has a splendid orchard, and also a good well of living water upon it. Also, a good frame building size 34 by 54 feet, two stories high, known as the "Union House." This is a bargain for any person wishing to purchase Real Estate in Astoria, the seaport of Oregon. Terms easy. For particulars address W. B. ROSS, Lock Box 1, Astoria Oregon. ap5d1m

A SOLAR COMPASS,

IN WORKING ORDER AND GOOD REPAIR, for sale cheap and on easy terms. Address "SURV" care Oregonian office. m22d1m

FOR SALE.

ONE TUFT'S ALASKA SODA FOUNTAIN, consisting of White Marble Standard, with 8 heavy Silver plated Syrup Faucets. One Copper Soda Generator, and two 14-gallon Copper Tanks, with all the tools and appliances necessary. All in good working order, and for sale $200 below cost. Apply to ALISKY & HEGELE, Confectioners, First street, Portland.

FOR SALE.

THE FURNITURE AND BUSINESS OF THE St. Charles Hotel, Albany, Oregon. Reason for selling, poor health. Apply to J. K. MORRISON, Albany, Ogn.

PROPERTY FOR SALE.

IN LEWIS COUNTY, W. T., ONE STORE BUILDING, Lot and Stock of Goods, Hay Shed and Stock Warehouse, at Chehalis Station, N. P. R. R., County Seat of Lewis county. 320 acres of good Wild bottom Land on Cowlitz river, very light growth of timber. 120 acres of Land ¼ mile north of Chehalis Station. For particulars and terms enquire of Messrs. L. GOLDSMITH & CO., Portland, Ogn, or GEO. J. HOGUE, Claquato, Lewis Co., W. T.

For Sale Cheap.

BLOCK 189, EAST PORTLAND, WITH HARD finished House containing five rooms, cellar, &c. There is also a good well of water; also a barn. The ground is in a high state of cultivation; two-thirds strawberries, the balance in grapes and fruit trees. Price $2500. Title perfect. Apply on premises, one block west of Odd Fellows' Hall. ap13d1m A. KEMP.

For Sale—Desirable Property,

A HOUSE AND LOT,

ON THIRD ST., BETWEEN D AND E, CONtaining seven rooms, all hard finished, and a fine cellar. Also, one LOT, corner F and Eighth. Title perfect. Apply at Metropolitan Baths, Washington street, between Front and First. a17d1m

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WHEN YOU CAN BUY A FAMILY RIGHT TO prepare and use a

VEGETABLE HAIR RESTORER

Which never fails to restore new hair on a bald head, or to check falling hair, itching, dandruff, diseased scalp, &c. The preparation to check falling hair, has all the merit claimed for it; also makes the hair glossy luxuriant and that woman's crown of glory is made more glorious. Call on

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ACKERMAN BROS.,

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Have opened a New, Elegant and full line of Men's and Youths'

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In addition to my Extensive Stock of

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CHILDREN'S CARRIAGES, CROQUET SETS,

I have just received per last Elder, direct from New York, and

SHERIFF'S SALE:

Suitings, old colors, - 10c per yard Suitings, all Linen,
Poplins, Striped, 4-4 White Flannels, fine,
Plaids, - 15c " 4-4 Red " heavy,

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Linen Towel - $1 pr doz. Merino Under Shirts
Honeycomb Towels, - $2 " Orange color "
Fine Damask Towels, - $3 " Extra Fine Merino "

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at the above Central Location. We offer everything for sale usual to Stores of this kind, such as

PATENT MEDICINES,

Chemicals, Drugs,

PERFUMERY, SOAPS, COMBS,

BRUSHES, &C.,

Of the best manufacture, all

FRESH, CLEAN & PURE.

No old Stock. Everything in the Store purchased since January, 1877, and for sale at prices as low as the same article can be bought in the city.

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Physicians' Prescriptions and Family Recipes, at all hours of the Day or Night.

You can leave your orders as you go down town and get them as you come back.

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CENTRAL DRUG STORE,

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THE CARGO OF THE BARKENTINE JANE A. FALKINBURG, consisting of

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SALMON NETS.

Th[illegible] Daily Oregonian.

FRIDAY MORNING, APRIL 20, 1877.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Financial.

THURSDAY EVENING, April 19, 1877.

Gold in New York, 107⅝.

Silver Coin—buying, 95; selling, 96.

Legal Tenders in Portland—buying 94½; selling 95.

Coin Exchange on New York 1 per cent. premium.

The Bureau of Statistics at Washington reports that the total value of the merchandise imported into the United States during the year 1876 was $[illegible]776,976, while the value of exported merchandise was $675,718,668, showing a balance in favor of this country of $148,939,692. The source of this increase is found not only in the fact that this country is increasing its production of articles in demand in foreign countries, but also, as the *Commercial Herald* remarks, has made so many improvements in the manufacture of goods of various kinds as to be almost independent of those countries to which we formerly looked for supplies of [illegible]. In cutlery, tools and farming implements, clocks and watches, woolen goods, silks, [illegible] and a number of others, we have [illegible] ourselves from reliance upon [illegible] sources, but in some instances have [illegible] into competition with them in [illegible] heretofore entirely subject to their control [illegible] spinners and iron masters of England [illegible] alarm at our progress in those directions, [illegible] weavers of Lyons and Italy have [illegible] qualities can be turned out [illegible] the tool makers of [illegible] by their brethren of [illegible] and Rhode Island. [illegible] gradual possession of markets [illegible] to American manufactures, [illegible] "carrying the war into Africa," by [illegible] of our most eminent competitors. [illegible] financial matters present no [illegible] the usual rates for loans and dis[illegible] maintained, and a somewhat [illegible] from outside parties for accommodation [illegible] which are now doing a pretty [illegible] will, however, is easily met by [illegible] funds, and we shall most [illegible] spring season without having [illegible] of any serious pressure [illegible]

Domestic Produce.

[illegible] the current quotation for [illegible] $1 87½ per cental, and [illegible]. To-day nominal rates for [illegible] and flour quotations are $7 [illegible] prices. The wheat market, it [illegible] at all, as none is offering, [illegible] expressed in some quarters that [illegible] is nearly or quite exhaust[illegible] ware[illegible] centres in this valley [illegible] but we believe that a [illegible] in the aggregate is yet [illegible] and there through the coun[illegible] whose financial condition has [illegible] not under any necessity [illegible] prices were down, and who [illegible] their surplus [illegible] no demand [illegible] under an[illegible] launched, and [illegible] for milling will be sent [illegible]. If continued, will [illegible] up to the present [illegible] that they may not [illegible] of the supply will [illegible] in any event until after [illegible]

[illegible] in breadstuffs, the [illegible] this evening, hay de[illegible] in the home produce [illegible] some falling off [illegible] at 8@9½ [illegible] Pro[illegible] supplied, and [illegible] except for [illegible] the demand [illegible] are coming [illegible] first-class [illegible] now quo[illegible] the market, in fact, [illegible] hardly [illegible] in light receipt[illegible] Wool of the [illegible] forward, but [illegible] at other [illegible] Oregon [illegible] an observ[illegible] handling [illegible] of the State will [illegible] the best [illegible]

[illegible] for San [illegible] at 4 o'clock A. M. [illegible] San Francisco.

[illegible] Company announce their [illegible] from this port to [illegible]

[illegible] Arrived—Bk. Cam[illegible] Humboldt, Tahiti; ship [illegible] Port [illegible] Discovery, bk. Dub[illegible] Discovery; str [illegible] schr Page, Pe[illegible] bktn Grace [illegible] C. Murray, Hono[illegible]

[illegible] per cental. [illegible] 100 ⅌ bbl; [illegible] in fine, 13@12½c ⅌ lb. [illegible] 8c, legs 7c ⅌ lb. [illegible] at $2@$1 per box for [illegible] quality. [illegible] 4@5c; pilots, 12½ [illegible] solid, 20c ⅌ lb; [illegible] dairy, 20@25c; [illegible] market quiet. [illegible] at 11½@12c for [illegible] shoulders. [illegible] at $2 50@$3 50 [illegible] quality. [illegible] at 16@20c per dozen. [illegible] dressed, 4@5c ⅌ lb; [illegible] mutton sheep [illegible] brewing, $1 55@1 60; feed, $1 40 [illegible] ton; shorts, $22 50 [illegible] $27 50@30; oil cake meal, [illegible] quote best selected hides [illegible] green, salted, 4@5c; elk, 6 [illegible] for dried, and 50@75c [illegible] skins, 50@$1 each; otter, $1@ [illegible]

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[illegible] Washington street.

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S. M. BA[illegible],

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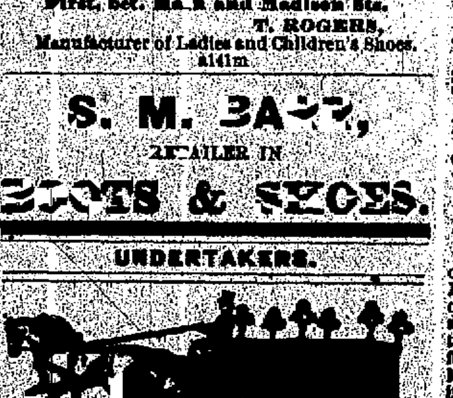

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Packing of all kinds, Pure Gum, Rubber and Round Piston,

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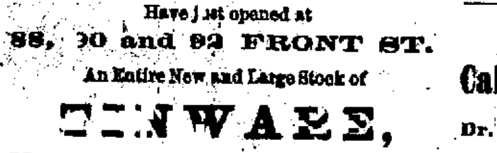

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THE FARM KNOWN AS THE ROBERT KINNEY CLAIM in West Chehalem, Yamhill county, containing 640 acres, all choice land, well fenced, having a good dwelling house and all necessary barns, outhouses, &c. Also 175 Acres of Land adjoining the town of Hillsboro, in Washington Co. For sale by J. McCRAKEN & CO. a10d&wlm

PORTLAND MACADAMIZED ROAD CO.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the Portland Macadamized Road Company, for the election of Directors and other business, will be held at the White House, at 2 o'clock P. M. Saturday, April 21, 1877.

a17td W. S. CALDWELL, Secretary.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

DR. LITTLEFIELD,

Physician and Surgeon.

Office—Rooms Nos. 1 and 3, Strowbridge Building, Corner First and Alder streets.

Residence, corner Seventh and College streets.

DR. J. B. PILKINGTON,

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Diseases of the EYE, EAR, THROAT and NOSE (particularly Chronic Nasal Catarrh) treated as specialties.

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A fine stock of Artificial Eyes kept.

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W. W. PIPER,

ARCHITECT,

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OFFER FOR SALE AT WHOLESALE PRICES.

IND COOPE & CO'S ALE, pints and qts.

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TENNENT'S ALE, pints and quarts.

Blood, Wolfe & Co's ALE and PORTER, pints and quarts.

Guinness' STOUT, pints.

RED CASE GIN, (Rynbende & Sons brand).

Hennessy, Martell and Jules Robin's BRANDIES, in case and bulk.

Scotch WHISKY, in case and bulk.

Krug & Co's PRIVATE CUVEE CHAMPAGNES, pints and quarts.

Heidsieck & Co's "GRAND VIN ROYAL" CHAMPAGNE, pints and quarts.

The Finest SHERRY and PORT WINES, in bulk, ever imported to this market, and at reduced prices.

Fine Bordeaux CLARET, in case.

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CURRY POWDER and CURRANTS.

PICKLES, Worcestershire and Assorted SAUCES.

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Superior WHITE LEAD and ZINC.

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WHEAT, OAT SACKS, HESSIANS, and TWINE.

Good English TOOLS, Steel, Octagon, Square and Flat.

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FRY PANS, Nos. 3, 4 and 5.

PEARL WHITE GRANITE CROCKERY, GLASSWARE and CLAY PIPES.

CANNEL COAL, Etc., Etc.

Farm at Public Sale.

WE WILL OFFER FOR SALE, on the PREMises, on Thursday, April 19th, 1877, at two o'clock P. M., two hundred acres of the Talbot Farm. The improvements consist of a house, barn, outhouses, good orchard, and it is all under fence, and nearly all plow land. There is just enough timber for farm purposes; running water on the farm. It is situated eight miles southwest of McMinnville, and is one of the choicest pieces of land in Yamhill county. Certificate furnished from reliable attorneys that the title is perfect. Terms—part cash, balance on time, secured by mortgage on the farm. For particulars see

DeLASHMUTT & OATMAN.

Notice is hereby given that I have just received a full Power of Attorney from George Talbot to transact any and all business for him.

HENRY P. TALBOT.

Portland, March 22, 1877. m23d&wlm

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$3000 IN DALLES AND SANDY WAGON Road Scrip. Will pay cash. For particulars see DeLASHMUTT & OATMAN.

$2000, $2500, $700, $1500, $900 and $2000 to loan on Real Estate security for twelve months. For particulars call at the RETAIL BANK.

For sale—A fine DAIRY FARM, all stocked, on Sauvie's Island, with good paying business. For the deed apply to DeLASHMUTT & OATMAN.

Sums from Twenty-five Cents up always on hand to loan on personal security.

Bonds and Stocks bought and sold on commission.

Some splendid bargains in City Real Estate, and a few farms at less than the improvements cost can be had of yours truly,

DeLASHMUTT & OATMAN,

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Sewing Machine Sales for 1876.

The Singer M'nuf'g Co. Sold 262,316 Machines.

Sewing Machine Sales for 1876:

Singer Manufacturing Co.	262,316
Howe Machine Co.	109,294
Wheeler & Wilson Manufacturing Co.	108,997
Domestic Sewing Machine Co.	23,587
American B. H. &c. S. M. Co.	17,937
Weed Sewing Machine Co.	14,425
Wilcox & Gibbs S. M. Co.	12,758
Remington S. M. Co.	12,716
Gold Medal Sewing Machine Co.	7,185
Victor Sewing Machine Co.	5,750
Florence Sewing Machine Co.	2,978
J. E. Braunsdorf & Co., (Ætna)	707
McKay S. M. Association	102

Singer Machines Sold on Note or Lease Plan, and Liberal Discount made for cash.

General Office for Oregon and W. T., First and Yamhill streets, Portland, Or.

DR. WM. C. ZIEGLER,

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WOULD INFORM THE CITIZENS OF PORTland and vicinity that he has opened an office at No. 60 First st., between Stark and Oak, east side, where he is prepared to treat diseases of all kinds in a rational manner, having all the appliances for doing so successfully. Will give Baths of all kinds, Sulphur, Vapor, plain and Vapor Medicated of all kinds desired.

Ladies will be delighted with the Sulphur Baths for their beautifying effects upon the complexion.

A skillful lady always in attendance upon ladies and children.

Office hours from 10 to 12 A. M., from 2 to 5 and 7 to 9 P. M. ap6tf

Eastern and Shoalwater Bay Oysters,

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J. SHEMANSKI,

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KEEPS CONSTANTLY ON HAND A LARGE ASsortment of Doors, Sash and Blinds. Also a fine assortment of Window Glass, Enameled, Crystal sheet, Stained and Cut Glass; and all sizes of Looking Glasses.

Contractors will find it to their advantage to call and examine prices before purchasing elsewhere.

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ROOMS OPEN EACH DAY AND EVENING. Regular classes on Tuesdays and Fridays at 8 P. M. Gentlemen desiring instruction and use of rooms will apply to the Secretary, Mr. R. J. LINDEN No. 9 North Front street. Scholars under eighteen apply to Mr. A. E. MILLER, Leader.

T. B. TREVETT, President.

TO BUILDERS.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED for Building Addition to Odd Fellows' Hall, East Portland, up to the 20th instant, at W. S. Gordon's, corner of 4th and I streets, where plans and specifications can be seen. The building to be completed by the 15th of June, 1877.

B. F. AUSMUS,
W. S. GORDON, } Trustees.
J. KENWORTHY,

East Portland, April 10, 1877. td

PIONEER WOOD YARD

FOOT OF YAMHILL STREET.

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ALL KINDS OF WOOD,

Sawed and unsawed, constantly on hand and delivered to any part of the city.

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LADD & TILTON, BANKERS,

DEPOSITS RECEIVED, AND COIN AND CURRENCY accounts kept, subject to Check at sight.

COLLECTIONS made and proceeds promptly remitted.

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Coin & Currency Exchange

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Bills of Exchange,

Drawn in the usual way, for any sum desired, on

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(LIMITED)

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Board of Directors.

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Receives deposits from $2 and upwards, for short or long periods at 6, 6¼, 7 and 7½ per cent.

Security to Depositors.

1. The Bank's $300,000 capital specially subscribed and pledged for security of depositors' moneys, in order that all losses be made therefrom, and

2. The mortgages, assignments, and securities on which this Bank's deposits are loaned.

Hours—10 to 3 P. M. Saturdays, 10 to 1; Saturday evenings from 7 to 8. For further information apply to

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Incorporated by Royal Charter.

Paid up Capital.........$2,000,000

With power to increase to $10,000,000.

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ENGLAND..........	National Provincial Bank of England.
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This Bank transacts a General Banking business. Deposits received on current account, subject to check.

Interest allowed on Coin Time Deposits for periods of three months and upwards.

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Exchange sold on London, Liverpool and on the principal towns and cities in Ireland and Scotland from £1 upwards. Also on all places in Canada in sums to suit. Coin and Currency drafts and Telegraphic Transfers on New York and Chicago.

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Cashier...........................JAMES STEEL.

DEPOSITS RECEIVED IN COIN OR CURRENCY subject to check at sight.

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SIGHT EXCHANGE AND TELEGRAPHIC TRANSFERS payable in Coin or Currency, for sale on NEW YORK, SAN FRANCISCO, CHICAGO, ST. LOUIS.

SIGHT or SIXTY DAY BILLS drawn in sums to suit, direct on LONDON, PARIS, BERLIN, FRANKFORT-ON-THE-MAIN.

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EVERYTHING NEW!

NATIONAL HOTEL,

Front and Yamhill Sts.,

J. H. KELLOGG, PROPRIETOR.

THE HOUSE HAS BEEN RECENTLY REFURnished and painted throughout. Old friends and new invited to call.

SPECIAL NOTICE!

OCCIDENTAL HOTEL.

ON AND AFTER THIS DATE THE RESTaurant connected with this House will be conducted by the Proprietors.

Nothing will be left undone to make guests feel at home, and by strict attention to business we hope to continue the very liberal patronage heretofore bestowed on this popular House.

Free Coach to and from the House.

S. D. SMITH & THOMAS SMITH, Proprietors.

SOL'S RESTAURANT!

The Best on the Pacific Coast.

FIRST STREET, NEAR STARK.

Whatever Delicacies the market affords will be found at this place. Ladies will find it the most convenient place to lunch while out shopping, where they will have the most polite attention.

ST. CHARLES HOTEL,

Cor. Front and Morrison Sts.,

GEORGE COGGAN,..........PROPRIETOR.

I have taken charge of the RESTAURANT connected with this popular Hotel, and it will hereafter be conducted in connection with the House. The DINING ROOM, located on the ground floor, is under the supervision of an experienced CATERER. The tables will be supplied with the best the market affords.

The ST. CHARLES being the only first class fire proof hotel in the city, SUPERIOR ACCOMMODATIONS will be given to guests, and rooms furnished single or in suits at prices ranging from $1 to $2.50 per day with board. FREE COACH runs between the Hotel and all trains and boats.

METROPOLIS HOTEL,

Corner First and Main Streets.

THE UNDERSIGNED, FORMERLY OF THE Multnomah House, having repainted and refurnished the above named Hotel, is now ready to accommodate the public in a satisfactory manner at the following rates:

Board and Lodging, per week	$5 50
Board per week	4 50
Board and Lodging, per day	1 00

The Table will always be supplied with the best the market affords.

JOHN SCHADE, Proprietor.

NORTON HOUSE,

Cor. C & First Sts., Portland.

This House is a Fire-Proof Brick, Newly Furnished with the best Spring Beds.

Board and Lodging, per week	$5 to $6 00
Per day	$1 00
Single Meals......25c	Lodging...25c to 50c

Free Coach to and from the House.

P. NORTON, Proprietor,

Formerly of the Portland Hotel.

REMOVED

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LOUIS WILBRON'S

PIONEER CHOP HOUSE.

OPEN DAY AND NIGHT.

THE BEST THE MARKET AFFORDS.

Private Rooms for Ladies, Gentlemen or Parties. Orders out of the house promptly attended to.

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GRADUATED PRICES.

Rooms with Board $3 per Day

Rooms with Board $4 per Day

Rooms without Board $1 per Day

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For San Francisco, Direct.

Carrying the United States Mails and Wells, Fargo's Express.

Steamer Every Five Days!

STEAMSHIPS OF THE ABOVE COMPANY WILL leave the Company's Dock at foot of F street, as follows:

"GEO. W. ELDER"	April 21, at 4 A. M.
"AJAX"	April 26, at 4 A. M.
"CITY OF CHESTER"	May 1, at 6 A. M.
"GEO. W. ELDER"	May 5, at 6 A. M.
"AJAX"	May 11, at 6 A. M.
"CITY OF CHESTER"	May 16, at 6 A. M.
"GEO. W. ELDER"	May 21, at 6 A. M.
"AJAX"	May 26, at 6 A. M.
"CITY OF CHESTER"	May 31, at 6 A. M.

For Freight or Passage apply at the Office of the Company, corner of F and Front streets.

GEO. W. WEIDLER, Agent.

For PORT TOWNSEND, VICTORIA, NANAIMO, FORT WRANGLE and SITKA.

CARRYING U. S. MAILS.

THE STEAMSHIP

"CALIFORNIA,"

CHAS. THORN..............................Commander

Will leave the Oregon Steamship Company's Wharf, foot of F street, for the above ports on

WEDNESDAY, MAY 9, 1877,

At 5 o'clock A. M.

For Freight or Passage apply at corner F and Front streets.

GEO. W. WEIDLER, Agent.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP CO.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

VIA TACOMA.

THE SPLENDID SIDE-WHEEL Steamship

"DAKOTA."

Passengers for San Francisco via Victoria will leave Portland per Steamer "Bonita," on

SATURDAY, APRIL 28, '77, AT 6 A. M.

THROUGH FARE, from Portland to San Francisco

Cabin.............$25 00 Steerage.............$12 00

Tickets for sale at Office Oregon Steam Navigation Company, corner Front and Ash streets, up stairs.

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THE WILLAMETTE

Transportation and Locks Co's

STEAMERS leave PORTLAND from the foot of Washington and Alder streets, as follows:

FOR DAYTON—Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 7 A. M.

For SALEM, ALBANY, CORVALLIS and Way Landings, Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, at 6 A. M.

For Lightering and Towing of Vessels

Between Portland and Astoria apply at the office of the Company, near corner of Front and Washington streets.

FRANK T. DODGE, Agent.

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Transportation & Locks Co.'s

NOTICE.

ON AND AFTER JANUARY 1, 1877, until further notice, the W. T. & L. Co. will carry Freight at

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UP FREIGHT:

PORTLAND TO SALEM..................$1 00 per Ton.

" Points above Salem 1 50 " "

For SPECIAL RATES on DOWN FREIGHT apply at the Office of the Company.

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Oregon Steam Navigation Co.'s

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PASSENGERS LEAVE PORTLAND FOR DALLES—Daily, (except Sunday) at 5 o'clock A. M.

FOR UMATILLA and WALLULA—Monday and Friday at 5 A. M.

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FOR KALAMA, TACOMA AND SEATTLE—Daily (except Sunday), at 6 A. M.

FOR ASTORIA—Daily, (except Sunday,) at 6 A. M.

For Cathlamet, Bay View and Skamokaway—Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 6 A. M.

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J. C. AINSWORTH, President.

STR. McMINNVILLE

WILL LEAVE PACIFIC DOCK every

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At 7 o'clock A. M., for

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Will leave Portland every FRIDAY MORNING at 6 o'clock, for SALEM and INDEPENDENCE.

For rates apply on board, or to the Agent on the wharf.

Portland & Vancouver Packet.

THE STEAMER VANCOUVER,

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WILL LEAVE FOOT OF ALDER STREET daily, Sunday excepted, at 2:30 P. M. Returning, leave Vancouver at 8 A. M.

For freight or passage apply on board.

Towing done between 10:30 A. M. and 2 P. M. daily, except Sundays.

LIVERY AND HACK STABLES.

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OFFICE AT DRAY & HACK STABLES,

S. W. Corner of Second and Stark Streets.

All business entrusted to us will be executed with care and dispatch.

ORDERS FOR HACKS PROMPLY ATTENDED to, Day or Night.

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Reasonable Charges for Hire. Particular Attention paid to Boarding Horses.

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PARTIES WISHING TO SECURE A GOOD PAYing Business will do well to call at GILMAN & IRVIN'S Auction Rooms, corner of Front and Oak streets, Portland.

Perpetual Self-Heating Combination

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G. W. WILLIAMS, GENERAL AGENT,

ap5d1m GILMAN & IRVIN, Agents, Cor. Front and Oak, Portland.

NATHAN'S

New & Second-hand Furniture

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Corner Front and Columbia Streets,

A LARGE ASSORTMENT ALWAYS ON HAND. Also,

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FOR SALE,

Fine BAROUCHE, almost new, will be sold for one half its cost.

2 PHAETONS.

A lot of New and Second hand BUGGIES and WAGONS.

Also, HORSES and HARNESS.

RAILROAD.

Oregon & California R. R. Co

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To Take Effect Sunday, Sept. 7, 1876, at 12 o'clock Noon.

DAILY (EXCEPT SUNDAY),

As follows:

PORTLAND AND ROSEBURG

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Portland	7:30 A. M.	Roseburg	[illegible]:00 P. M.
Roseburg	5:00 A. M.	Portland	[illegible] P. M.

ALBANY EXPRESS TRAIN.

DAILY, (EXCEPT SUNDAYS)

As follows:

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Portland	3:50 P. M.	Albany	8:25 P. M.
Albany	5:50 A. M.	Portland	10:05 A. M.

FREIGHT TRAINS

DAILY, (EXCEPT SUNDAYS) AS FOLLOWS

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Portland	6:15 A. M.	Junction	6:00 P. M.
Junction	5:45 A. M.	Portland	5:15 P. M.

The Oregon and California Railroad Ferry makes connection with all Regular Trains.

Close connections are made at ROSEBURG with the Stages of the Oregon and California Stage Company.

Tickets for Sale to all the principal points in California and the East, at Company's Office,

Cor. F and Front Sts., at Ferry Landing

PORTLAND.

Storage will be charged on freight remaining in Warehouse over 24 hours.

Freight will not be received for shipment after 5 o'clock P. M.

J. BRANDT, Jr., Gen'l Sup't.

E. P. ROGERS, Gen'l Freight and Passenger Agent.

Northern Pacific Railroad.

PACIFIC DIVISION.

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KALAMA TO TACOMA.

DAILY, (SUNDAYS EXCEPTED.)

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Kalama	11:20 A. M.	Tacoma	5:30 P. M.
Tacoma	6:30 A. M.	Kalama	12:30 P. M.

CONNECTIONS

At Kalama with O. S. N. Co.'s Boats for all points on Columbia River.

At Tenino, with stages for Olympia.

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On Saturday and Wednesday at 5 A. M. with steamers for Port Townsend, Victoria, Nanaimo, New Westminster and Fraser River.

Connecting Tri-Monthly with Pacific Mail Steamship Co.'s Steamers from VICTORIA to SAN FRANCISCO.

Through fare from Portland to San Francisco;

Cabin.............$35 00 | Steerage.............$18 00

Through Tickets for sale at the office of the O. S. N. Co., Portland, Or.

J. W. SPRAGUE, General Superintendent.

E. W. FAIRWEATHER, General Ticket Agent.

CITY ADVERTISEMENTS.

CITY ASSESSMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE CITY Assessment Roll of the City of Portland (as revised and corrected) will remain open at the Auditor's office until the 21st day of April, 1877, prior to which time all applications for corrections of errors must be filed.

Particular attention is directed to the following section of Ordinance No. 11[illegible]:

Section 8. Any person deeming himself aggrieved by the assessment, valuation or listing of property, may apply to the Common Council for a revision of the same.

Such application shall contain a list of all the property subject to taxation for city purposes, owned by, in the hands of or under the control of the applicant, and a concise statement of the particular item or items claimed to be erroneously assessed, which said application shall in all cases be verified by oath or affirmation of the applicant, and must be filed with the Auditor before the 21st day of April, following the date of the filing of the Assessment Roll.

W. S. CALDWELL, Auditor and Clerk.

March 22, 1877. [illegible]

Pine Street.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Assessment made by Ordinance No. [illegible] for the improvement of Pine street in the manner provided by Ordinance No. 1268, on each of the following described lots of land fronting upon that part of Pine street lying between the center line of Fifth street and the east line of Second street, as well as those liable for a proportionate share of improving the intersection of streets running at right angles therewith is due and payable at the office of the City Treasurer in United States gold and silver coin, and unless paid within fifteen days from the date hereof, the Common Council will order warrants issued for the collection thereof:

Block.	Lot.	Owner.	Amount.
20,	7, 8,	Mary W Kane	[illegible]
21,	5, 6,	Lena [illegible]avy	[illegible]
			[illegible]

By order of the Common Council

W. S. CALDWELL, Auditor and Clerk.

April 7, 1877. [illegible]

Monumental Silver Mining Co.

Capital Stock.....................$[illegible],500,000

500,000 Shares, par value $5 00 each.

Board of Directors:

E. J. W. STEMME	Portland.
O. N. DENNY	"
C. S. MILLER	"
WILLIAM GRANT	Dalles.
F. C. SELLS	Canyon City
E. J. W. STEMME	President.
C. S. MILLER	General Manager.
C. D. FO[illegible]G[illegible]R	Secretary.

Location of Mine, Granite Creek, Grant Co., Ogn.

Office—Rooms 11 and 12, Strowbridge's Building, First Street, Portland, Oregon.

THE ABOVE NAMED COMPANY IN ADDITION to the business of their own mine, propose to aid in the development of the Mining Interest of this State; in view of which they invite correspondence and Specimens of Ores from all mineral discoveries throughout the State.

They invite public examination of the ores from their own mine, now on exhibition at their office.

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Camp Creek Consolidated Gold & Silver Mining Company.

Incorporated Feb. 22, 1877. Capital Stock, $500,000.

Location of Mines, Camp Creek, Wasco Co., Oregon.

THE ABOVE COMPANY HAVING BEEN FORMed for the purpose of opening and developing what is believed to be one of the richest mines in modern discovery, is now offering for sale a limited amount of Stock, the proceeds of which will be immediately expended in the purchase and forwarding of machinery with which to operate in this new field. The company have about thirty acres in the richest portion of the mines, and have no doubt as to the richness of their claims, having thoroughly prospected them. Specimens can be seen at our authorized agents. Only a small amount of Stock will be offered to the public, as only enough will be disposed of to enable the Company to commence active operations. For the present those desirous of purchasing can do so at the office of PARRISH & CORNELL, Front street, east side, between Alder and Washington, one door south O'Connor's store, who are our authorized agents.

C. K. BESSALLEU, President.

M. A. BELL, Secretary. ap13d1m

PROPOSALS FOR ARMY SUPPLIES.

OFFICE OF CHIEF COMMISSARY OF SUBSISTENCE, DEPARTMENT OF THE COLUMBIA, PORTLAND, OREGON, April 10, 1877.

SEALED PROPOSALS, in triplicate, with a copy of this advertisement attached to each, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock, M., Thursday, April 26th, 1877, for the delivery of the following Subsistence Supplies, at Portland, Oregon, viz: 3,050 lbs. Corn Meal, more or less; 52,061 lbs. Island Brown Sugar, more or less; 2,729 gallons Cider Vinegar, more or less; 16,815 lbs. Fine Salt, more or less; 2,683 lbs. Assorted Crackers, more or less; 260 2-lb. cans of Salmon, more or less; 936 cans Yeast Powders, more or less. Proposals must be accompanied by a guarantee, signed by two responsible persons and sworn to before some magistrate having authority to administer oaths, stating that if a contract is awarded they will enter into bonds for the faithful fulfillment of the contract. Samples of the articles proposed to furnish must be submitted with the proposals. Proposals for any part of the above will be considered, the U. S. reserving the right to reject any or all bids. Prices in U. S. currency, written as well as expressed in figures. For further information apply to the undersigned. Envelopes should be endorsed "Proposals for ......

W. I. BELL,

a13d[illegible] Captain and C. S. U. S. A.

Proposals for Land for School Site in East Portland.

THE UNDERSIGNED WERE APPOINTED BY School District No 21, East Portland, a Committee to select and purchase a piece of ground containing from one to two Blocks or Acres for the use of a Graded School, and they hereby invite those who have lands for sale, located near 12th street, and between G and O streets, to communicate with the undersigned on or before the 20th inst., stating the location, number of Acres or Blocks, and the price for which said land can be purchased.

J. C. HAWTHORNE,
A. L. BUCKMAN,
WM. DALTON.

East Portland, April 5, 1877. ap5d&w2w

HAY! HAY!

Damaged Hay must be Sold!

CALL AND SEE

EVERDING & FARRELL,

FRONT AND ALDER STS., PORTLAND

DIVORCES LEGALLY AND QUIETLY OBtained for incompatibility, etc.; residence unnecessary. Fee after decree. Twelve years' experience. A. GOODRICH, Attorney at Law, 124 Dearborn street, Chicago, Ill.

N. W. [illegible]

ESTABLI[illegible]

17 and 19 F[illegible] tween Front and [illegible]

SAN FRA[illegible]

N. W. SPAULDING [illegible] inserted in [illegible] REPAIRING, in [illegible] ming, Re-Toothing [illegible]

CIRCULAR SAWS [illegible] Muley, Gang, [illegible] kinds, together with [illegible] hours at lowest [illegible]

Cast-Steel Sheet [illegible] ING CUTTERS [illegible] short notice.

N. B.—KNAPP [illegible] mission Merchants [illegible] authorized Agents for [illegible]

Orders sent through [illegible] wise filled at same [illegible]

To the [illegible]

[illegible]

SEMINAL [illegible]

Seminal Weakness [illegible] This solitary vice, or [illegible] practiced by the [illegible] unlimited extent [illegible] ty, the following [illegible] combatted by science [illegible] low countenance [illegible] the head, ringing [illegible] of leaves and [illegible] the loins, weakness [illegible] blunted intellect [illegible] approaching [illegible] quaintances, [illegible] memory, hectic [illegible] tions about the [illegible] coughs, consumption [illegible] frequent insanity.

CURE [illegible]

Persons at a distance [illegible] by addressing a [illegible] symptoms, length of [illegible] and have medicines [illegible] damage and [illegible] with full and [illegible] Dollars coin, or [illegible] office or through [illegible] medicine will be [illegible] Union. Address [illegible]

Nervous [illegible]

DR. S[illegible]

ESSENC[illegible]

NERVOUS AND [illegible] all Complaints [illegible] Treatment [illegible] positively are [illegible] has no [illegible] should [illegible]

The operation [illegible] ing in this case [illegible] good effects on [illegible]

Price, $[illegible] case, or FIVE [illegible] any address [illegible] sent by Pacific [illegible] press.

[illegible]

At [illegible]

San Francisco [illegible]

[illegible] Office hours [illegible] Sundays from [illegible]

W[illegible]

N CONNECTION [illegible] Street, [illegible]

Wine [illegible]

N[illegible]

Superior [illegible]

For Family [illegible]

NO INT[illegible]

A[illegible]AM[illegible]

Bavarian [illegible]

Under the [illegible]

Will Set Hot Lunch [illegible]

WEINHARD'S [illegible]

A COS[illegible]

T. J. ROBINSON [illegible]

THESE WELL KN[illegible] opened a new [illegible]

Elegantly Furnished [illegible]

on the north side of [illegible]

and Second, where they [illegible]

their old friends.

EVERDING [illegible]

Commission [illegible]

EXPORTERS A[illegible]

Flour, HAY, [illegible]

OF ALL [illegible]

STAPLE G[illegible]

FIRE BRICK [illegible]

GRAIN SAC[illegible]

NO. 27 F[illegible]

PORTLAND[illegible]

JUST A[illegible]

The Celebrated [illegible]

ROBERT [illegible]

WILL STAND TH[illegible] Season at the Stable [illegible] Front and Salmon streets [illegible] $40 to insure, or [illegible]

PEDIGREE—Robert [illegible] pled sorrel, 7 years old, 17 [illegible] lbs., sired by imp. Clydesdale [illegible] California; dam the mare [illegible] Normandy—is of great bone [illegible] and well proportioned in [illegible] men are invited to call and [illegible]

Portland, April 8, 1877.

The Thorou[illegible]bred [illegible]

DR. L[illegible]

Will stand during [illegible] SALEM.

Terms, $35 for [illegible]

The best pasturage can be [illegible] Address [illegible] ap29d&w1m

CHAS. L[illegible]

Cor. Third and A[illegible]

DEALER IN [illegible] Goods of a [illegible] Brunswick and [illegible] Virginia F[illegible]

F. S[illegible]

[illegible]L. XVII.—NO. 66.

GENERAL NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

[illegible] Steamships Overland.

[illegible] YORK, April 20.—The *Tribune* says the novel enterprise of transporting large [illegible] across the continent has been successfully carried out within a few weeks. In 1876, Geo. H. Bradbury, President of [illegible] and Oriental S. S. Co., made a [illegible] with Fletcher, Harrison & Co., of [illegible] for the construction of two side-wheel steamboats, each of the following dimensions: keel 210 feet; beam 32 feet; [illegible] hold 10 feet. Each was to have [illegible] one vertical beam condensing [illegible] with cylinder 50 inches in diameter [illegible] feet length of stroke. The contract [illegible] that the hulls, machinery and joiner work [illegible] be built and fitted together here [illegible] when completed, the boats should [illegible] to pieces and shipped by rail to San [illegible] and there put together again. In [illegible] with their agreement, Fletcher [illegible] & Co., as early as March, [illegible] machinery of the first boat, and [illegible] since dispatched the hull and machinery of the second with the joiner work. The boilers for the [illegible] in Jersey City a week [illegible] way to San Francisco [illegible] of the vessels [illegible] about 800 tons [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] Supplemental Confession.

[illegible] YORK, April 20.—It is rumored that [illegible] Tweed had made a supplemental [illegible] and that the document was placed [illegible] hands of Gen. Fairchild by Mr. Townsend his counsel. This statement is said to [illegible] regard to the election of certain judges [illegible] Court of Appeals. Townsend declines [illegible] any questions.

Railroad Accident.

[illegible], April 20.—The Bangor express on the Eastern Railroad collided with [illegible] Saugus branch train this evening near [illegible] smashing a locomotive, baggage car [illegible] car of the Saugus train. Two hundred passengers were on the express train and [illegible] in urec.

Prohibition Defeated.

[illegible], April 20.—The House this afternoon [illegible] the prohibition bill, 117 to 106. The [illegible] passed the Senate.

[illegible] for John.

[illegible] April 20.—At the graduating exercises [illegible] the High School to-day [illegible] boy being [illegible]